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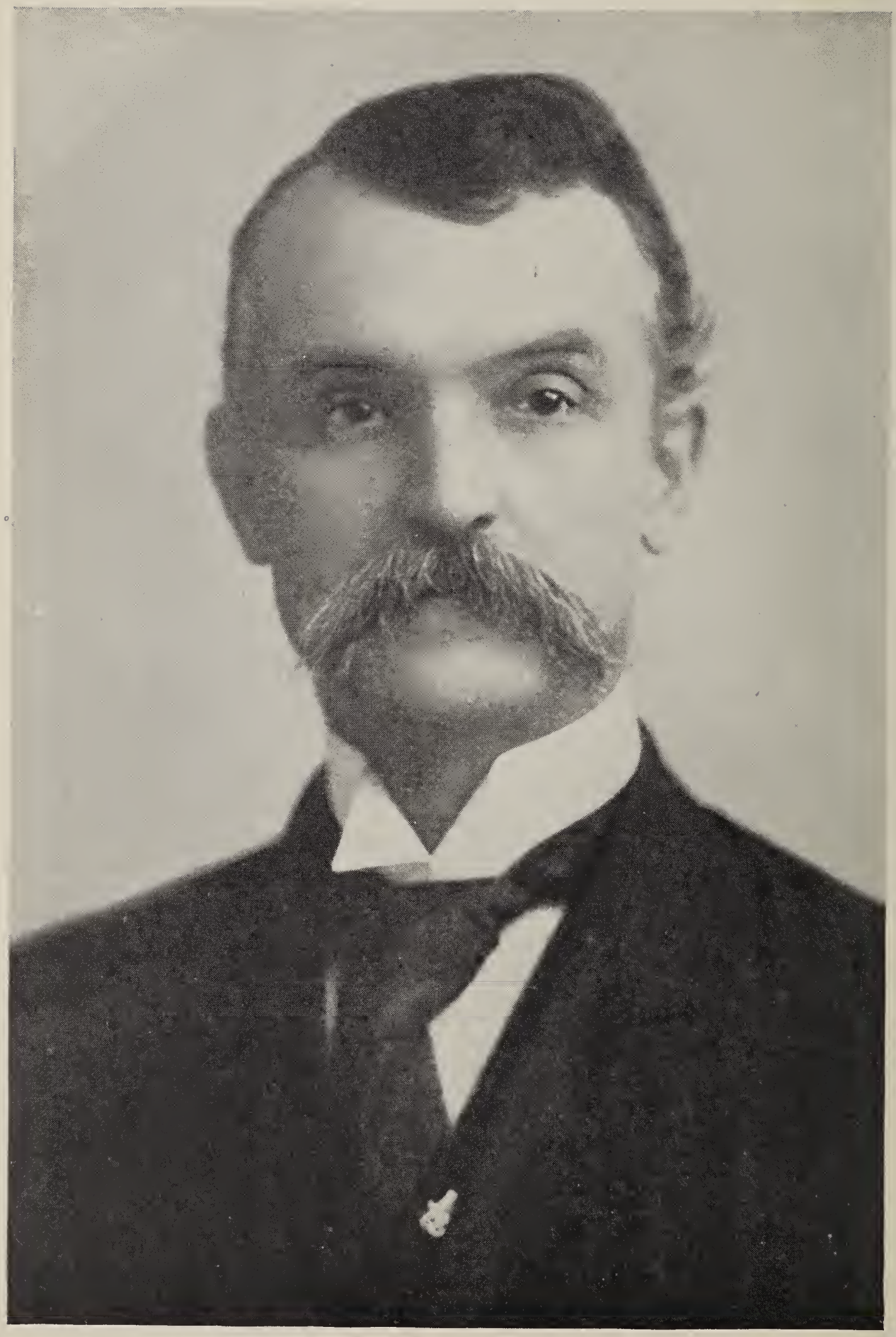

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FOREWORD

The authenticity of a history of this nature depends largely upon the character of its author, and for that reason, I believe that a brief personal history and an explanation of my sources of information, is not out of place. Whatever egotism moves me in this matter ought to be fully suppressed by the thought that at eighty I am nearing the end, and a few years hence the reader will not stop to consider which one of the Johns I might have been.

I was born in Howard County, Missouri, in 1850, and in 1853 moved twenty-five miles east to a farm adjoining what is now the town of Clark, Randolph County, Missouri. This country was at that time sparsely settled. Our home was in "Long Arm," a stretch of prairie sixty miles long and from two to six miles wide. Here deer were plentiful, wolves were frequently seen and heard, and many a squirrel wandered into our orchard from the timber not far away; and while the dogs held him at bay, Pa's trusty rifle brought him down and furnished a change from our cornbread, pork and hominy diet. Don't misunderstand me; all these articles were mighty fine eating, and I often long for the "crackling" bread or the good old "pone" and the appetite of the long ago.

By the fall of the year, the blue-stem prairie grass had become so rank in many places on this prairie of thousands of acres of outlying lands that the grass would hide a man on horseback fifty yards away. Frequently when old Sookey or old Brindle would be missing from the herd at evening milking time, I would have to mount Old Gray, the family "nag," and trail the cattle paths and the distant tinkling cow bells to see if the recreant one were not following a strange crowd. Such, however, were cases of wilful misconduct for every cow knew absolutely her own paths and her own bell.

Here I went to school, held in a log schoolhouse some three miles away. I attended three or four months each year, except for two or three weeks out, now and then, when it was necessary for me to stay at home to help Pa gather corn, or haul wood for winter fires. Remember too—in those days we had real winters, deep snows often covering the ground for two months at a time. My schooling was also interrupted by the Civil War. We lived in the borderland where strife, killings, and battles, kept us in terror night and day.

At the age of nineteen, with a very limited education, I began to prepare myself for teaching. This I did by teaching, and going to school alternately. At the age of twenty-five I married a farmer girl, and after that, we spent most of our lives on a farm, generally near some town.

I taught thirty-three years, owned and edited two newspapers, and helped run another in which I had half interest. While teaching I was several times County School Commissioner of Audrain County where I lived for thirty years. I have held the principal offices in the local lodges of Masons, Odd Fellows, Modern Woodmen and others. I kept a general store at Keyes, California, several years, and was Express Agent and Postmaster there at the same time. We reared a family of one son and three daughters, all of whom married happily and reared families, and only one of them lives on a farm.

I learned to read when quite young, and before I was twelve years old I had read "Weems' Life of Washington", and "Frost's History of the United States" in three volumes; so, when as a boy, I heard my father and his brothers talk of our ancestors and their connection with the early history of the United States, I was filled with a great desire to see our family record in print.

I knew well my grandfather, John Cross, and he was partly reared by **his** grandfather William, the emigrant, so it does not seem so very far across when you look at it that way. I was ten years old when grandfather Cross died, and I was present at his death and burial. His funeral was preached by my maternal grandfather, Rev. William Shores, a retired Methodist preacher. Grandfather Cross was a blacksmith and did work for a large section of country around him. He was about five feet, eight inches in height, of stout build, red complexioned and roly-poly.

Somewhere along in the forties, Grandmother Cross inherited two negro women from the estate of her uncle, Thomas Blythe, in North Carolina. These two women and their families thereafter became helpers on the farm. You can imagine however, which side of the ledger they helped, when I tell you that none of their progeny were grown at the time of the Civil War. The youngsters hardly knew what it was to be "bossed," except by their own mothers who frequently cuffed them without mercy—events which I often witnessed.

These two women, one black, one yellow, were named Amanda and Emily. When I arrived on this mundane sphere, Mandy, the black one—very black—was sent to help me hold on, by furnishing me the staff of life. This she continued to do, more or less, for several months. She may have saved my life, nevertheless, I considered it very bad taste, when as I grew older, she never ceased

reminding me of the part she had played in the affair mentioned, and she even threatened to repeat the process on me at a time when I felt myself far above the needs of child treatment. I was greatly humiliated thereby and, much to her amusement, always grew furious; but she never spared me.

When William Cross, Jr., died on "Old Christmas Day," January, 1848, he had lived for several years, with his family consisting of wife and one or more unmarried daughters, in a small house on the farm of his son, John, in Howard County, Mo. At that time John's sons—William Blythe (my father) was twenty-eight years old, George twenty-five, Jack twenty, Henry fourteen. None of these brothers were married, and as farmers, had spent their lives on the home farm or nearby, and had splendid opportunities to learn family traditions from their grandfather, and from their father, who was partly reared in the home of his grandfather, William Cross, the emigrant.

In 1856, Uncle George Cross settled near us at Clark and followed his trade of blacksmithing, living on his farm. When Clark, several years later, became a village, he sold his farm and located there where he died in 1878. Uncle Jack Cross settled in Howard County but he made frequent visits to his brothers at Clark, twenty-five miles away. Father and Uncle George were together much, and I was with them quite a good deal. Father helped Uncle George build houses and barns and helped him with his crops; Uncle George did father's blacksmith work, and frequently helped us with the farm work. I was the oldest child of father's family, so I was often sent to help Uncle George drop the corn, blow the bellows, plow, and plant. When Uncle Jack came to see us, he and father would sit up and talk until midnight. I was always a delighted listener and asked many questions. In this way I gleaned many facts of family history which I write, and which I firmly believe are true.

Acknowledgments for Assistance.

In compiling this history and genealogy, I have been greatly assisted by my daughter, Mary and her husband, Mr. Redmond Selecman Cole, of Tulsa, Okla. They have visited the Crosses in Illinois and the graveyards there; have three times visited in Virginia, looking over gravevards and spending days searching old records in courthouses at Fincastle, Abingdon and Staunton; have corresponded extensively in getting information from the various families; have visited Richmond, Ky., and the graveyards near there; have employed genealogists to search the records at Washington City, Richmond, Ky., Richmond, Va., and other places. To Mr. Cole is due much credit for the plan and arrangement of this work

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I am indebted to James Harvey Cross and David Ellis (both deceased), of Neoga, Ill., for valuable help in locating members of the George Cross family; and to Thomas Toleman Cross of Bevier, Mo., for a mass of information relating to the Macon County Crosses.

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I am individually responsible for the Harris-Martin, Cain-Robertson, Gentry-Blythe, histories and genealogies, but in the Conner genealogy, the data has been gathered by Dr. Sarah McLonie Conner, of Pasadena, Calif., to whom much credit is due to her unflagging interest and sustained efforts in accomplishing her work. I acknowledge valuable contributions from James H. Robertson, Jr., of Flagstaff, Ariz.

Especially do we owe much to my brother, James Thomas Cross, lumberman of Moberly, Mo., for assuming the financial burden of the publication of this work. He makes this donation as a generous contribution to the present, and coming generations of the Cross family, with the prospect of small remuneration and no hopes of any future emolument arising from his act. His family are all gone, and he has passed his three score and ten years, yet his philanthropies for which he is well noted, reach out in good deeds.

For the correctness of the genealogy of any family we depend upon the member of the family who has furnished such information. There will be no copyright on this work, so will not some enterprising member of the family, add to and improve this, and publish a more complete history of the Cross and related families? Blank pages have been added for additional data of births, deaths and marriages as they occur.

JOHN NEWTON CROSS.

November, 1931.

PART I

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CHAPTER I

THE CROSS ANCESTRY

A story repeated to me from earliest recollection is that our Cross ancestor was William Cross, born in England in 1733, a soldier in General Braddock's army that was sent over from England in 1755 to take part in the French and Indian War; that at Braddock's Defeat July 9th of that year, he received a wound from a bullet that lodged in his shoulder; and that some forty years later this wound developed into a trouble that killed him; that he lived in Botetourt County, Virginia, and died there about 1795; that he reared a family of two sons and three daughters; that his sons were named John and William; that John lived in Botetourt County and reared there a family of two sons and a "big family of girls;" and that one of his sons was named Lewis, and that Lewis was a bachelor.

Now for the last part of this story, we have documentary facts, established by minutes of the proceedings of the Botetourt County Court for thirty years, wills, marriage records, deeds to land and property allotments in division of estates, and these show:—

That a William Cross lived on a farm in Botetourt County which was cut out of Augusta County in 1770; that he reared a family there, and died there in 1798; that he had two sons and three daughters, and his sons were named John and William; that John lived near his father and reared a family there of two sons and nine daughters; that one of his sons was named Lewis and that Lewis married April 16, 1835 when he was about forty years of age.

The traditional story coincides with established facts in all essential points, except a slight variation in the date of William's death, and the numbers of daughters John had, so there can be no doubt that the William Cross named in each, is one and the same. Assuming that the traditional story is fully authenticated, the story of the Cross family is based thereon.

After General Braddock's defeat and death in 1755, his army under the command of General Dunbar, who was not in the battle but in charge of the reserves some twenty miles in the rear, fell back to Fort Cumberland, Maryland. After resting there a few days, he left part of his stores with the Maryland and Virginia troops and moved with the Regulars to Philadelphia, later going to New York and Albany. (See letter Penn. Hist. Soc.)

Much correspondence with the War Departments of England and America discloses the fact that no list of the private soldiers in Braddock's army, the 44th and 48th Infantry have been preserved. Therefore, it is impossible to secure documentary proof of the service of William Cross in Braddock's army in the French and Indian War. Record of later services, however, have been found in the files of the Virginia Land Office.

When General Dunbar left Fort Cumberland he necessarily had to leave the wounded there with the Maryland and Virginia troops. They remained there a month or two longer, then returned to Virginia and were disbanded there.

Within the following year, William Cross, recovered from his wound, undoubtedly fell in with some of the numerous companies going to the western border of Virginia for cheap lands, and took up land on the James River in territory that afterwards became a part of Botetourt County. Two and a half years after Braddock's defeat, General Forbes was commissioned to raise an army to march against the French and Indians and capture Fort Duquesne, or Fort Pitt, as it was afterwards called. The city of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, now occupies the site of Fort Pitt, and it was near this place that Braddock's Army was cut to pieces. General Forbes raised about 7000 men for this expedition which was partially successful, and William Cross served in it as a volunteer in the Old First Virginia Regiment. This regiment was commanded by Col. Washington (afterwards General Washington) who resigned after the campaign was over to accept a place in the House of Burgesses. He was succeeded by Col. William Byrd, and the regiment was used in border service. This regiment continued in service until after the Cherokee expedition in 1760. In a final drive against the Cherokees Col. Byrd was ordered to form a junction with Col. Waddell in command of the North Carolina troops, at a certain place on the border, but he consumed so much time in building bridges and cutting roads through the heavy forests, that he failed to reach the place of rendezvous in time to be of service. Under severe criticism for this, Col. Byrd resigned and was replaced by Col. Adam Stephen who shortly afterwards took the Virginians back to their homes. The Cherokees had been subjugated by Lieut. Col. Grant who had marched into their country, defeated them everywhere, burned their villages, and destroyed their crops. Col. Byrd was not much of a soldier, but he was a man of great influence in the councils of his state, Virginia, and a big farmer, owning at one time 105,000 acres of land and several hundred slaves.

William Cross applied for and obtained a land warrant (No. 883) covering this service in the "Old First Virginia" regiment. He as-

signed this land warrant to his neighbor, Thomas Rowland, who was at that time one of the justices of the court of Botetourt County. A most intensive search of the old records of Botetourt County from the time of its organization in 1770, fails to show the name of any other Cross than the one William Cross and his family up to 1797, after which time the Cross name appears frequently in deeds and marriage records. This fact alone fully substantiates the claim that this was our William Cross, for we know that our William lived in Botetourt County during its early history, and that he reared a family there, and died there.

As to the further service of William Cross, we have the oft-repeated story, that, during the Revolutionary War, he and his son William, then fifteen years old, as blacksmiths, were in a fort protecting the frontier, and that at one time the fort was so closely besieged by Indians, that they were called outside the fort and fought the Indians for three hours, driving them away, and that this was the only battle that William, Jr., was ever in. As well as I can place this event, it was in 1781. As a part of their duties in the fort they had to provide iron slugs for the only cannon they possessed, to shoot at the Indians. This cannon was more effective as a noisemaker than as a deadly weapon.

I have heard the story always, that William Cross, Sr., was in the Revolutionary War, but I am sure there is no documentary evidence to support the claim. To save some future historian trouble I will mention that "Summers' Annals" lists the name of a William Cross as a Revolutionary soldier from Botetourt County, but when the source of information was traced, it was found he was from Sussex County.

When the British burned the Capitol at Washington in 1814, most of the Government Military records were destroyed, and many records of the state of Virginia were destroyed, when Richmond was burned during the Civil War; so by these destructive acts many well supported traditional facts concerning the people and the events of early Virginia history will go down in oblivion.

Not knowing the parish or county in England from which our ancestor came, it has been impossible to trace the family to its original home. From a communication from England we learn:

"Cross is a fairly common name in Lancashire and Cheshire. It would be easier for me to trace them through the Parish Registers, Wills, Chancery Proceedings, etc., if you wish the enquiry extended. The tracing of your family pedigree would take some time, however, and would cost at least twenty pounds. And I could not guarantee that it would be successful, of course."

From such letters it was learned that it was too costly and too uncertain to attempt to find our family in England. So we present all we have found from tradition and the early Virginia, Kentucky, Indiana, Illinois, and Missouri records.

J. N. C.

CHAPTER II

CROSS CHARACTERISTICS

William Cross, Jr., was a man of heavy build weighing over two hundred pounds, a blacksmith, and a man strongly imbued with ideas of sport and adventure. These qualities of mind and body were largely in evidence in the families of his children. His sons, George and John, were stoutly built, red complexioned, and ready to fight at the drop of a hat. They took a prominent part in the sports of their time. John was as active as a cat and this made him hard to beat in the games of his day. This quality was noticeable in most of his children and their families. John's son, Jack, of light build, delighted to match his prowess with the heavyweights of his time.

William Cross Jr.'s first wife was the daughter of George and Peggy McCown (also spelled McGown and McGowan). George was born in Scotland and Peggy in Ireland. They married in England, emigrated to America, settled in Tennessee, later went to Kentucky, and then to Illinois. Their daughter, Sarah, was robust and red headed, and a woman of very determined character. She and her mother, Peggy, were both buried in the Old Baptist Cemetery six miles from Neoga, Illinois, as sandstone markers yet indicate.

The older generations of our family all liked their "licker." The men took theirs straight and the women took theirs in mint juleps, blackberry wines and egg nogs. In pioneer days it was thought quite the proper think to keep a bottle or jug handy on the sideboard. A visitor would consider himself snubbed if the toddy were not passed around before breakfast. This custom was almost universal even in religious homes. Everybody kept whiskey; if not for use as a beverage, it was kept as a medicine for emergencies, such as sudden attacks of Cholera Morbus, pneumonia, cramps, and malaria, and for snake bites which in this new country were a real and ever present menace. The drinks were the pure goods and were always in evidence at happy gatherings, log rollings, corn shuckings, house raisings, etc. Several of the Crosses of the earlier generations were not church members, though most of the later ones were. The wives of George and John were of families prominent in the affairs of the country and both were members of the Primitive or Old Baptist Church.

Like all pioneers our progenitors were mostly farmers and blacksmiths. Later there were among them preachers, teachers, lawyers, editors, carpenters, contractors, engineers and business men. Some have traveled extensively and most of them have taken a prominent part in the civic affairs of their communities. Many of them did not believe in slavery but were ardent States Rights men, so when the Civil War came on, some wore the Blue and some the Gray. Many of the younger generation served as soldiers in the World War.

Grandchildren of the author.

CHAPTER III

DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE FROM VIRGINIA RECORDS

Records of William Cross.

The years brought changes in the habitat of the Crosses as the pioneer spirit moved them to seek homes farther and farther west. Many of the stories will remain unauthenticated because the records cannot be located. Botetourt County, Virginia, however, still contains many of its old records and frequently the Crosses are mentioned among these. The following references culled from land office records at Richmond, from Will and Deed Books of Botetourt County and from an abstract of the records of Botetourt County published in Summers' "Annals of Southwest Virginia" refer to William Cross, Sr., the first of the family of whom we have record.

1758, Dec. 15, William Cross granted 395 acres "around the county of Lunenberg." L. O. Book 33, p. 525.

1769, Apr. 6, "GEORGE the Third, etc. To all, etc.

KNOW YE that for divers good causes and considerations but more especially for and in consideration of the sum of FIFTEEN SHILLINGS of good and lawful money for our use paid to our Receiver General of our Revenues in this our Colony and Dominion of Virginia WE HAVE given granted and confirmed and by these presents for us our heirs and successors DO give grant and confirm unto William Cross one certain Tract and Parcel of Land containing one hundred and forty-three acres lying and being in the County of Augusta on Shadrack's Run a small branch of the James River and bounded as followeth, to-wit: . . . . .

WITNESS our Trusty and welbeloved Norborne Baron de Botetourt our Lieutenant and Governor General of our said colony and Dominion of Williamsburg under the seal of our said Colony the sixth day of April one thousand seven hundred and sixty-nine in the ninth year of our Reign.

BOTETOURT (Governor of Va.)
L. O. Book 38, p. 522.

1771, Oct. 11, William Cross appointed to view road up James River by Col. Skillern's plantation. Summers, p. 137.

1773, May 12, William Cross appointed surveyor of road from Bowen's Run to Main road in room of Geo. Skillern. Summers, p. 188.

1775. Feb. 14, Mary Ann Foster bound to Wm. Cross. Summers, p. 240.

1778, Feb. 12, Wm. Cross with tithables ordered to keep road in repair from Geo. Skillern's down the river to Crow's. Summers, p. 267.

1779, Feb. 12, Ordered that William Cross' ear mark be admitted to record. Summers, p. 280.

1779, June 3, Wm. Cross grantee in deed from Wm. and Mary Lawrence to 95 acres of land Turner's river on west side of Camp Mountain. £500. Deeds 2, p. 422.

1779, Dec. 10, Ordered that claim of Solomon Simpson, Edw. Gill, Sr., Christopher Finnie, William Cross and Christopher Best be certified who proved service as soldiers in First Old Va. Regiment commanded by Col. Washington. Summers, p. 301.

1780, Apr. 13. Ordered that it be added to the orders of a former court granting lands to Christopher Best, Christopher Finnie, Edw. Gill, Solomon Simpson, William Cross and John Tatham, that due proof was made that they had served till legally discharged and had never before proved the same nor had obtained land for same. Summers, p. 313.

1780, Apr. 3. Warrant to William Cross for fifty acres for "military service performed by him as a Soldier in the late war between Great Britain and France according to the terms of the King of Great Britains proclamation of 1763." L. O. Warrant, No. 883.

1782, Apr. 3. Certificate showing that Solomon Simpson, Edward Gill, Sr., Christopher Finnie, Christopher Best, and William Cross, severally proved service in 1st Va. Regiment commanded by Col. Byrd and Col. Stevens and they never before proved service nor obtained land grants under King's Proclamation 1763. Dated, December, Botetourt Court 1779. Issued to William Cross 50 acres April, 1782. L. O. Warrant, No. 883.

1783-5, Sept. 27th. (patent shows 1783). Patent to Wm. Cross, for sixty acres of land lying and being in Botetourt on James River "adjoining his own land." Book "S", p. 440.

1783. May 8, Wm. Cross is a juror. Summers, p. 373.

1784, May 12. Wm. Cross succeeded as road overseer by Thos. Anderson. Summers, p. 373.

1786, Apr. 4. Wm. Cross granted 195 acres. Book W, p. 548.

1790, Mar. 5. Patent to Wm. Cross. 80 acres on north side of timber ridge on waters of Hutcheson's Branch. This land was sold by William Wilson, eldest son and heir at law of Richard Wilson, deceased. These lands adjoin lands of Thomas Rowland, Joseph Kyle and "his own land." Book 22, p. 107.

1792, Sept. 1. Wm. Cross and wife Elizabeth conveyed lands for thirty-five pounds on both sides of Long Entry Creek. Book 4, p. 395.

1793, Jan. 7. Wm. Cross and wife Elizabeth deed to John Cross 143 acres of land on north side of the James River for five pounds. Book 4, p. 441.

1793, Jan. 7. Wm. Cross and wife Elizabeth deed 60 acres on north side of the James River to John Cross. Book 4, p. 443.

1793, Jan. 7. Wm. Cross and wife Elizabeth deed 190 acres to John Cross on north branch of the James River. Book 4, p. 444.

1793, ——. Wm. Cross and wife Elizabeth deed 126 acres to John Cross. Part of a tract of 270 acres granted William Cross April 4, 1784, on Long Entry Creek. Book 5, p. 4.

1795, Sept. 12. Wm. Cross deeded 175 acres to Samuel Riddlebarger for 315 (?) pounds. Book 6, p. 330.

Will of William Cross, the Emigrant.

1798, June, —. The last will and testament of William Cross, Sr., was submitted to the Court of Botetourt County and admitted to probate. This will reads as follows:

I William Cross Senr. of Botetourt County and State of Virginia being weake of Body but of sound mind and memory yet calling to mind the mortality of my Body knowing it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament first I Recommend my Soul to God who gave it and my Body to be buried in the Earth in a decent manner at the Discretion of my Exetrix hereafter named and as tutching sutch worly things as it has pleased God to bless me with I leave and bequeath in the following manner VIZ. I leave to my beloved wife Elizabeth Cross all my Personall Estate as will by debts due me or otherwise of Every Kind to be at her disposeall as she may think proper after my last debts and funeral charges are payd. Imprimis I give and bequeath to my Sun William Cross Junr. one small Tract of land on the South Side of James River formerly the property of William Wilson and joining my other Tract Bough of said Willson containing Eighty Acres more or less with its appurtenances to the said William Cross and the heirs of his Body and his assigns forever. But my other heirs is not to warrant the Titule Item I likewise bequeath to my other children Viz Mary Jane John and Elizabeth Each five shillings when demanded they Each having got their full share of land already and do hereby appoint my said wife my sole Exetrix of this my last Will and Testament and it is further my will that my said Exetrix should not be held to Bail for her conductin that leave with Regreard to administring etc. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 26th day of April 1798 and do hereby publish pronounce and declare this to be my last will and Testament in presence of

his
William x Cross
mark
SEAL

his)
Geo. Skillern William x Lettor)
mark)
James Mays Matthew Mays)

At June Botetourt Court 1798

This instrument of Writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of William Cross decd. was exhibited in Court and proved by the oaths of Matthew Mays and James Mays. Witness is thereto Subscribed and thereupon Ordered to be Recorded.

A Copy

teste W. Hite D. C.
Will Book A, p. 473.

Early Marriage Records—Botetourt County, Va.

There are often two dates to be found in connection with the early marriage records; the first indicates the issuing of the license and the second when the preacher returned his reports.

John Cross and Polly Mays, Sept. 24, 1795, by Rev. Samuel Gray, Jan. 2, 1796.

Wm. Cross and Mary Eliza Rice, daughter of John Rice, Jan. 10, 1795. Rev. Edward Mi[illegible] 14, 1795. (The name Rice is indistinct and might be interpreted as Reid).
Thomas Cross and Elizabeth Anderson, Aug. 18, 1801.
William Cross and Ann Allen, April 28, 1820, by Rev. John Helms.
Lewis Cross and Elizabeth Walter, Mar. 17, 1835. Rev. Jacob Carper, April 16, 1835.
Curtis Cross and Nancy Sale, Aug 21, 1838.

Estate of John Cross.

The Inventory and Appraisement of John Cross (son of William, Sr.), dated Aug. 25th, 1830, and prepared by Joseph Linkenhoker, Alphonso Finny, Jacob Custer and Abraham Peery, and the inventory of the sale of personal property of said John Cross, dated Aug. 27th, 1830, as well as a division of the lands of John Cross, made by William Anderson, Abraham Peary and Abraham Brewbaker, are all of record in the books of Botetourt County. They are too long to be copied in full herein, but certain items appearing in the same are worthy of repetition.

The Inventory of the property showed it was appraised at $413.32¾ and among the items listed are:

To 1 Walnut bureau	$10.00
To 1 Walnut Candlestand	2.00
To 5 Windsor chairs	3.50
To 1 High posted Bedstead and cord	1.00
To ½ dozen split bottom chairs	1.50
To 1 Large Copper kettle	8.00
To 1 wagon	9.00
To 2100 Lbs. Tobacco	42.00
To 1 Wind mill	7.00
To 1 bay Horse	50.00
To 1 Brindle Bull	10.00
To 1 Red Steer	5.00
To 8 Geese	2.00
To 1 McCormick Plow Double Tree	6.00

Wills F, p. 81.

The Inventory of the sale showed sale of property totaling $282.58 and items of interest follow:

A. Perey	1	Walnut Bureau	$ 9.12½
A. Dill	1	Grindstone	.12½
Charles T. Beale	1	Wind Mill	10.00
A. Dill	8	Geese	1.34
Jacob Moore	1	Brindle Bull	10.80
John McCluer	5	Windsor Chairs	2.62½
William Blount	1	Bay Horse	56.00
A. Finney	1310	Lbs. Tobacco	42.57½

Wills E, p. 187.

The property after survey was divided into twelve tracts.

Tract 1, containing 26 acres to Nancy Cross.
Tract 2, containing 26 acres to Avilina Cross.
Tract 3, containing 33 acres to Lewis Cross.
Tract 4, containing 39 acres to John (Mays) Cross.
Tract 5, containing 42 acres to Aurelia Cross.
Tract 6, containing 33 acres to Andrew Dill and Mary his wife.
Tract 7, containing 28½ acres to Elizabeth Cross.
Tract 8, containing 24 acres, including the dwelling house to Susanah Cross.
Tract 9, containing 45 acres to Andrew McClure and Charlotte, his wife.
Tract 10, containing 38 acres to Alvina Cross.
Tract 11, containing 36 acres to Cynthia Cross.
Tract 12, containing 13 acres laid off and assigned to lots No. 2, 3 & 8, for purpose of supplying them with wood, No. 2 to have undisturbed privilege of taking water out of spring of No. 1. Wills E, 630.

Grandchildren of the author.

CHAPTER IV

FIRST GENERATION

1. WILLIAM CROSS,[1] the first known ancestor. From available records, we know that the first of the Cross ancestors was William Cross, Sr., who we know from legend and fact, was born in 1733 and died in Botetourt County, Virginia, in 1798, leaving a wife, Elizabeth, and at least five children. Two of his daughters married, one a man named Warren, and one a man named Woods, and settled in Linn County, Missouri. Examination of the Linn County records show many families of these names but none could be found who are known to be descendants of these women.

Children (Cross)—all born in Virginia:

i. Mary.
2. ii. John, b. about 1761; m. Polly Mays.
iii. Jane, m. John Elliott Oct. 6, 1785. Nothing further known.
3. iv. William, Jr., b. Aug. 22, 1766; m (1) Sarah McCown, (2) Mary Eliza Rice.
v. Elizabeth.

SECOND GENERATION.

2. JOHN CROSS,[2] (William[1]), b. about 1761 in Botetourt Co., Va. For purposes of convenience solely, we have given the story of his family in Part IV, "John Cross of Virginia and his Descendants," where a list of his children and descendants, will be found.

3. WILLIAM CROSS,[2] (William[1]), b. in Augusta Co., Va., Aug. 22, 1766, d. in Mo., Jan. 1848; m. in Tenn. about 1791 Sarah McCown. They moved to Madison Co., Ky., where two children were born, John and George. They separated there about 1794 and Sarah took George and went to her parents in Tenn., while William took John and returned to his ancestral home in Va. On July 14, 1795, he was married a second time to Mary Eliza Rice, daughter of John Rice, by whom he reared a large family. The records of Botetourt Co., Va., show that in 1799, John Hanson Vinson was bound to "William Cross, blacksmith." William remained in Botetourt County until about 1807 when he and family returned to Madison County, Ky., taking with him, his son John, who was then learning the blacksmithing trade. William remained in Madison County until 1828, when, with all his family, he moved to north central Missouri settling on a farm about four miles north of Roanoke, which was later oc-

cupied by Charles Shores and Judge Walden. Still later he moved to Howard County, living on the farm of his son, John, about one mile east, and one-half mile south of Armstrong. He died there in 1848 and was buried in the cemetery on that farm. His widow lived with her children until some years later.

Children (Cross)—*born in Virginia and Kentucky*:

4. i. George, b. Jan. 31, 1792; m. Miss Major Hughes (See Part III, "George Cross of Illinois and His Descendants.")
5. ii. John, b. Dec. 1793; m. Sally Blythe. (Part II, "The Mo. Crosses.")
6. iii. William, b. 1797; m. Rachel ————. (See Part II.)
   iv. Anderson, m. Mary Hardister in Randolph Co., Mo., Dec. 9, 1830. Had three sons; one named "Nip," and another named Brown lived at Huntsville, Mo.
   v. Polly, d. single in Macon Co., Mo.
   vi. Tolbert, m. Lavicy ————. No issue. Records found at Kirksville show that his estate was administered there in 1855. His wife and brother James, were administrators. Among the estate papers appears an instrument showing that Anderson Cross, Brown Lee Cross, James Mathis, Thomas Howard, Sarah Cross, Martha Cross, Benjamin Allen, John Cross, Mary Ann Cross, Eliza Cross, and James Cross purchased his estate from George Cross (half heir), Sarah Ann Chapman (whole heir), Durel Cross, William Dunivant and John Dunivant, the last three being listed as minor heirs. Among the files appear receipts executed by Martha Cross, Lewis Winkler and Hiram Cross.

      Lavicy (Aunt Vicy) was very fleshy, and while living with her nephew, Harrison Cross, near Roanoke, Mo., she fell from a wagon while on the way to church and was killed Feb. 18, 1868.
   vii. Ann, m. Thomas Howard and lived in Randolph Co., and had four children, John, Dillard, Lurinda and Magley. One son was a physician in Chariton Co., Mo. Lurinda married ———— Wiggans and had children: James, John, William, Price, Elza and George. They lived at LaPlata, Mo.
   viii. Patsy, d. single in Macon Co., Mo.
   ix. Scott, while riding sideways on an old workhorse out to the cornfield, in his youth, fell backwards to the ground when the horse shied; and broke his neck.
7. x. James, b. July 19, 1810; m. Martha Palmer.
   xi. Susan.
8. xii. Nancy, b. 1813; m. James Mathis.
   xiii. Sally, a cripple, who lived with her half brother, John, (5) and later with the Mathis family in Macon Co., where she died, and was buried at the Old Chariton Church. Despite her affliction she was always jolly and congenial.
9. xiv. Vachel, b. in Ky.; m. Sarah Ingram Dameron.
   xv. Brown Lee, a blacksmith; m. Rachel Hardister, Nov. 5, 1839. The name of only one child is known, Henry, who lived near Huntsville, Mo. Brown Lee died in Calif.

PART II

The Missouri Crosses

THE MISSOURI CROSSES.

As heretofore noted, William Cross, Jr., son of William, the emigrant, of Botetourt County, Virginia, in 1828 emigrated from Kentucky to Missouri where he lived with his children, except George, who went to Illinois. In this chapter, we trace the descendants of William Cross, Jr.

THIRD GENERATION.

4. GEORGE CROSS,[3] (William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 31, 1792; m. Miss Major Hughes. The story of his life and a list of his descendants may be found in Part III of this history.

5. JOHN CROSS,[3] (William,[2] William[1]), b. in Kentucky, Dec., 1793. This is the date left by his son Henry (No. 13) but the tombstone over his grave, shows that he died on the "10th of March, 1861, aged 70." This inscription is probably incorrect.

Early in life he accompanied his father to Virginia, where his father remarried, and later John went with his father and his stepmother back to the county of his birth, Madison Co., Ky. In the meantime he had learned the trade of blacksmith with his father. There on Aug. 28, 1817, he married Sally Blythe, b. Dec. 17, 1797; d. Oct. 16, 1870. For details of her ancestry see Chap. II, Part V, "Gentry-Blythe."

In the year of their marriage, they moved to Howard Co., Mo., settling first near Randolph Springs, and later one and a half miles southeast of Armstrong, Mo. There as farmer-blacksmith, he lived, reared his family, died, and was buried in the family cemetery on his place. His home was always open to relatives or friends. He was never a member of any church, but always gave the preachers a standing invitation to his hospitable home. He was nimble and active in body, and in his younger days was noted as a race horse rider.

Children (Cross)—all born in Howard Co., Mo.:

i. Polly, b. July 10, 1818, d. June 27, 1889; m. John Warden.
10. ii. William Blythe, b. Sept. 18, 1820; m. Mary Jane Shores.
11. iii. George, b. Mar. 4, 1823; m. Martha Ann Butts.
iv. James, b. Oct. 14, 1825, d. Sept. 20, 1843 of typhoid fever.
12. v. John (Jack), b. Oct. 19, 1828; m. Margaret Ann Yancey.
vi. Newton, b. Sept. 6, 1831; d. Sept. 13, 1836.

13. vii. Henry Clay, b. Nov. 25, 1834; m. Susan Taylor.
14. viii. Harrison, b. Apr. 21, 1838; m. Fanny Lamb.
15. ix. Sallie Ann, b. Aug. 6, 1842; m. Frank Kirby.

The following tribute to Mrs. Sally (Blythe) Cross was published Oct., 1870, in a newspaper published in Huntsville, Mo.:

"Died—on Wed., the 18th, at the home of John Warden, near Glasgow, Mo., Mrs. Sally Cross, wife of the late John Cross, aged 73 years.

"Mrs. Cross was born in Madison Co., Ky., and came to Mo., in 1817, and had resided in Howard Co., near Roanoke all this time. She was the mother of nine children—seven sons and two daughters, and was one of the best women that we ever knew—remarkable for her unostentatious piety, her warm heart, and her patient and uniform sympathy for the sick, the needy, and the afflicted. She had a generous and full heart for the stranger, and the wayfarer always found in her a friend, a helper.

"Raised under the generous system of Kentucky hospitality, and having witnessed and shared all the privileges, privations, and struggles of the early settlers in the "Boonslick Country," Mrs. Cross possessed a theory of morals, of hospitality, of labor, and life that is now seldom met with, but which she carried into full practice, and without change, to her grave. She was a noble woman, one fit to assist in founding states, in moulding philosophies and civilizations, in maintaining creeds and that without knowing or talking about it, this she did right well and nobly too, till the day of her death.

"She had resided in Howard Co. over fifty years, and for nearly all that time had been a member of the Mount Pleasant Old School Baptist Association, at old Ararat church.

"She was a step daughter of John Cain, one of the first settlers of Howard Co., and a sister of Major James Blythe of Madison Co., Ky. Peace to her ashes."

6. WILLIAM CROSS,[3] (William,[2] William[1]), b. in Va. about 1797 and d. in Macon Co., Mo., about 1875; m. Rachel ———, b. in Ky., d. in Mo. Both were buried on the farm where they lived six miles southeast of Callao, Mo., now known as the Decker farm.

Children (Cross)—all born in Kentucky:

i. Derrill, Randolph Co., Mo., records say, "Derrill Cross and Elizabeth Mathis m. Apr. 27, 1841." No further record of this family.
16. ii. John R., d. 1862 or 1863; m. Martha Sneed.
iii. Patsy, m. John Dunivant, July 15, 1846. (Macon Co. Records, p. 77). Estate records of Tolbert Cross show names of W. F., and John Dunivant who were probably children of this couple. (See p. 219.)
17. iv. Betsy, b. 1827; d. Jan. 24, 1864; m. Lewis Winkler.
v. Rhoda.
18. vi. William Richard (Dick), b. 1825; m. Mercy Moore.
19. vii. Wright, m. Elizabeth Hinton.

7. JAMES CROSS,[3] (William,[2] William[1]), b. July 19, 1810 in Ky., d. May 26, 1863 in Macon Co., Mo.; m. Nov. 12, 1837, Martha Palmer, b. Nov. 29, 1815, d. May 4, 1896. In Book Y, p. 516, Adair Co. Records, James Harren, Plaintiff, brings suit against Martha Cross,

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Mary Jane Williams and husband, Milton Williams, Dora Dowdy and William Dowdy, her husband, Newton Williams, James and Fanny A. Williams and Allie Williams (minor), heirs of Newton Williams and Sarah N. Williams, deceased wife. The records show that James Cross owned the land in 1855 and that he died in 1863 in Adair Co. and that Sarah N. died in 1868 leaving five children.

In Book G, p. 296, sheriff's sale Oct. 18, 1856, James Cross and Lenco Cross are plaintiffs. In Book G, p. 184, James Cross and wife Martha buy land, dated Jan. 19, 1858.

Children (Cross)—born in Macon Co., Mo.:

i. Sarah Nancy, m. Jan. 16, 1838 Newton Williams, son of Joseph and Anna Williams (Joseph was a brother of Milton Williams who m. Mary Jane Cross, sister of Sarah Nancy). She d. May 20, 1867, leaving five children as follows:
   (a) Dora, m. William Dowdy. Both d., no living children.
   (b) James, lives in Kirksville, Mo., and has children, Guy, Clyde and Leta.
   (c) Fannie, m. Frank Sewall, lives at Gifford Mo., and has three children: Rolla, Claud, lives in Kansas; Eula, m. Carlos Barnett, a contractor, living in Tulsa, Okla.
   (d) John, m. Rena Anspech, lives at Gifford, Mo., and has one son, Oren, living at Greene City, Mo.
   (e) Alfretta, m. William Ransome and has two children, Ethel, who m. Thomas Neary and has a son, Thomas, Jr.; and Mabel who m. Earl Poor.

20. ii. Mary Jane, b. Apr. 15, 1844; m. Milton Williams.

8. NANCY CROSS,[3] (William,[2] William[1]), b. in Ky. in 1813; m. in Ky. in 1841, James Mathis, b. in 1809. Both d. about 1883 in Macon Co., Mo., and are buried at Old Chariton Church in Macon County.

Children (Mathis):

i. Eliza Ann, b. July 12, 1842; m. Thomas Taylor. Their only son. Albert, is single and lives at Barnesville, Mo.
ii. Julia E., b. Aug. 22, 1843, d. single.
iii. William T., b. May 12, 1844 in Randolph Co., Mo.; d. Jan. 17, 1924; m. Feb. 14, 1884 at Macon, Mo., Phoebe Steele, b. Aug. 11, 1857 in Macon Co., Mo., daughter of William Steele, b. Aug. 23, 1837 and Charlotte Graves, b. Feb. 17, 1835. Mrs. Mathis is living on the old home place at Elmer, Mo., R. # 2. One child, Nora, b. in Macon Co., Mo., Feb. 14, 1889; d. Nov. 9, 1900.

21. iv. Samuel S., b. May 13, 1847; m. Isabelle Mason.

22. v. John C., b. Jan. 28, 1849; m. Elizabeth Hall.

vi. Sarah J., b. Jan. 8, 1851; m. Price Bunch, no children.

23. vii. Mary Louise, b. Jan. 22, 1854; m. General Lafayette Williams.

9. VACHEL CROSS,[3] (William,[2] William[1]), b. in Ky. and d. in Adair Co., Mo., Sept. 18, 1857. He was a blacksmith near Hunts-

ville, Mo., and specialized in making very fine bells; m. Sarah Ingram Dameron, b. near Raleigh, N. C., d. in 1885.

Children (*Cross*):

24. i. James William, b. in Adair Co., Mo., Mar. 6, 1848; m. Esther Ann Thrift.
25. ii. Benjamin Jefferson, b. Jan. 3, 1854; m. Minta Berilla Teter.
iii. Martha Ann (Doll), d. single in 1890.
iv. Sarah Ingram, m. William Gilstrap. They had three children who died in infancy, another named Eleanor and a son, James. The whole family died within a year of typhoid fever.

FOURTH GENERATION

10. WILLIAM BLYTHE CROSS[4] (John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 18, 1820, in Howard Co., Mo., near Armstrong; m. Mar. 5, 1850, Mary Jane Shores, b. Sept. 27, 1830, in Howard Co., Mo., daughter of William Shores and Susan Rice Johnson.

William Shores, son of Charles, born in Georgia, June, 1796, of Irish parents, died Jan. 8, 1872 in Howard Co., Mo., moved to Tenn. at early age, was left an orphan and apprenticed to learn the trade of carpenter and wheelwright, later joined the Methodist Church and became a licensed preacher; moved to Howard Co., Mo., in 1818; m. in 1829 Susan Rice Johnson, born Jan. 26, 1800, d. in Howard Co. June 24, 1872.

Susan Rice Johnson was daughter of Claiborne Johnson, b. in Albemarle Co., Va., about 1759, d. in Howard Co. Aug. 22, 1840. He served in Revolution with Va. State troops, was placed on the Mo. Pension Roll May 28, 1834, where his age is shown as 74. He drew a pension of $50 a year. He m. in 1794 in Amherst Co., Va., Betsey Simms; both are buried in the old Chapel graveyard near Armstrong, Mo.

The obituary of William B. Cross says: "In 1853 he moved to a farm near Clark, Mo., on which he lived till his death Apr. 14, 1895. During these forty-two years he labored hard for the good of his community and was a useful citizen and an accommodating neighbor." He and his wife, who d. Apr. 15, 1898, are buried in the Chapel Grove Cemetery near Clark, Mo.

Children (*Cross*):

26. i. John Newton, b. Dec. 20, 1850, in Howard Co., Mo.; m. Olivia McClure Harris.
ii. Infant son, b. July 25, 1852, d. July 31, 1852.
27. iii. Susan Catherine, b. Jan. 21, 1854, in Randolph Co., Mo.; m. Pressly True Martin.
28. iv. James Thomas, b. Aug. 6, 1856, at Clark Mo.; m. Cora Woods.

Top Row—Sarah (Cross) Morton, Wm. Clay Cross, Mate (Mitchell) Cross, Marvin B. Cross, Lillie (Gentry) Cross, Cornelia (Cross) Thrailkill.
Middle Row—Sam Cross, John Newton Cross, Olivia (Harris) Cross, Susan (Cross) Martin, James Thomas Cross.
Bottom Row—Margaret (Carr) Cross, Helen Cross, Mollie (Cross) Woods, Ola (Martin) Oldham.
—Photo—Moberly, Mo., 1908.

v. Annie Mary, b. Feb. 15, 1856, at Clark, Mo., d. of flux, Sept. 30, 1867.

vi. William Clay, b. Jan. 4, 1861; m. Feb. 28, 1894, at Moberly Mo., Mary (Mate) Mitchell, b. Aug. 25, 1873. They had no children but reared Lydia ———. Then in later years they took Lydia's children, Clayton and Mavourneen and reared them as their own. A nephew, Presly Martin, also lived with them several years. Mr. Cross d. Feb. 10, 1924. Mrs. Cross lives at Clark with her foster children, Clayton and Mavourneen.

29. vii. Sarah Cornelia, b. Mar. 3, 1863, at Clark, Mo.; m. William Columbus Thrailkill.

viii. Charles Shores, b. Aug. 16, 1865, at Clark, Mo., d. Mar. 6, 1882, of brain fever.

ix. Mary Jane, b. Mar. 27, 1867, at Clark, Mo. She was for some years a popular teacher in the Clark schools; m. Mar. 3, 1896, at Moberly, Mo., Dr. Robert A. Woods, of Clark, Mo., b. Oct. 26, 1868, in Howard Co., Mo., son of Peter Woods and Eliza Ann Burnham, grandson of William K. Woods and wife Susan, also grandson of Foster Burnham and Maria Pemberton. He is a Mason and M. D. Having no children of their own, their life has been given in service to others of their community. Whether the calls have been among friends or strangers, by day or night, this doctor and his faithful wife have been willing to give generously of their love, their time, their means, and their skill for the relief of humanity. They live at Clark, Mo.

x. George Samuel, b. June 6, 1869, at Clark, Mo.; m. Apr. 7, 1898, at Clark, Mo., Margaretta Jane Carr, b. in Roodhouse, Ill., June 3, 1878, daughter of Matthew Carr and Kate Burgher, of Clark, Mo., granddaughter of Jacob Burgher, from Germany, and Margaret Rhue, of New York, also granddaughter of John Carr, from Ireland. Mr. Cross is a farmer; he moved to Ceres, Calif., in 1921, where he and his wife still live. Only one child was born to this union, a son, b. and d. in 1899.

xi. Marvin Blythe, b. Oct. 21, 1871, at Clark, Mo.; m. Apr. 7, 1897, Lillian B. Gentry, b. July 2, 1872, in Audrain Co., Mo., and d. in 1911. She was the daughter of Howard Dudley Gentry and Julia Frances Butts, granddaughter of Curtis and Ellen Gentry and of Thomas Edward Butts and Martha Johnson. Mr. Cross m. (2) June 14, 1916, Mabel Green, daughter of Edwin A. Green and Joanna Myers. They now live on a fine farm just off the state highway near Clark, Mo.

11. GEORGE CROSS,[4] (John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 4, 1823, in Howard Co., Mo., m. Feb. 14, 1856, by Rev. William Shores, Martha Ann Butts, b. Dec. 31, 1835, in Va., d. in Mo., Oct. 9, 1885, daughter of James M. Butts, b. Apr. 16, 1818, in Va., d. May 22, 1899; m. Aug. 22, 1832, Elizabeth Yager, b. June 23, 1818, in Va., and buried near Clark, Mo. Mr. Cross was a blacksmith near Clark, Mo.; d. Sept. 11, 1877.

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Children (Cross)—all born at Clark, Mo.:

i. Sarah, b. Nov. 17, 1856; m. Oscar Morton; d. at Moberly, Mo., in 1921, and buried at Clark, Mo. No children.

ii. Medora, b. Jan. 21, 1859; m. James T. Broome. One son, C. P. Broome, lives at 25 Concord St., Highwood, Conn. Mrs. Broome d. in St. Louis, Mo., in 1925.

iii. George William, b. June 22, 1862, d. Feb. 11, 1865.

30. iv. Cassie Lue, b. Aug. 30, 1871; m. John Wesley Carr.

12. JOHN (JACK) CROSS,[4] (John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 19, 1828, in Howard Co., Mo. d. Mar. 18, 1914; m. Mar. 5, 1856, in Howard Co., Mo., Margaret Ann Yancey, b. Jan. 10, 1837, d. Jan. 27, 1895, daughter of Leighton Yancey and Jennie Scott, granddaughter of Robert Yancey and Elizabeth Phoebe Rozell, also of Evan Scott. Mr. Cross died at his son Yeaman's home and was buried by the side of his wife in the Old Chapel Cemetery one mile east of Armstrong, Mo.

Children (Cross)—all born near Roanoke, Mo.:

i. Charles Henry, b. Mar. 30, 1857; m. Lena Walker, now deceased. One child, Ada, lives with her father near Huntsville, Mo.

31. ii. John, b. Mar. 17, 1859; m. Katherine Roper Bonnel.

32. iii. Virginia (Jennie), b. Oct. 26, 1861; m. George Knox.

33. iv. Leighton Yancey, b. June 1, 1864; m. Minnie Dell Patton.

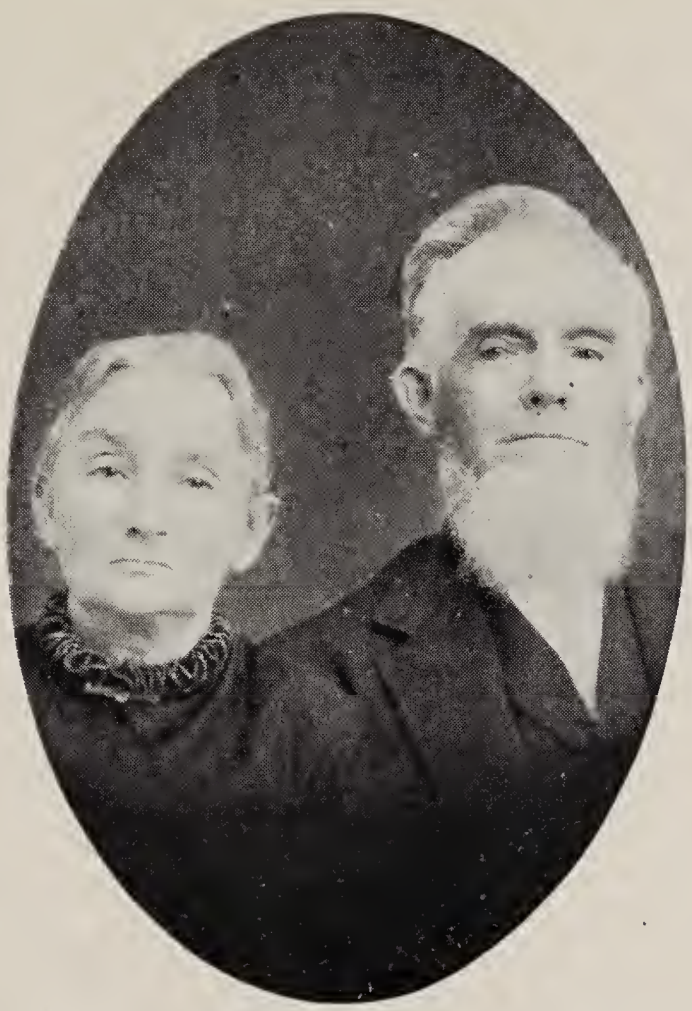
v. James Blythe, b. Oct. 28, 1868; m. Feb. 26, 1896, at the Lockridge home near Roanoke, Mo., by Rev. Turnage, Florence Lockridge, b. Feb. 17, 1868, daughter of William Lockridge, b. in 1831, and Lou Harvey, b. Sept. 29, 1838. Mr. Cross is a farmer living near Roanoke, Mo. Address, Armstrong, Mo. Their only child, Mary Lou, b. Dec. 12, 1908, at Armstrong, Mo., graduate of Mo. Valley College and a teacher; m. Aug. 5, 1931, Wesley Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brown of near Poplar Bluff, Mo., and a teacher at Neeleyville, Mo.

34. vi. Yeaman, b. May 20, 1876; m. (1) Lizzie Hunker; (2) Madie Maud Minor.

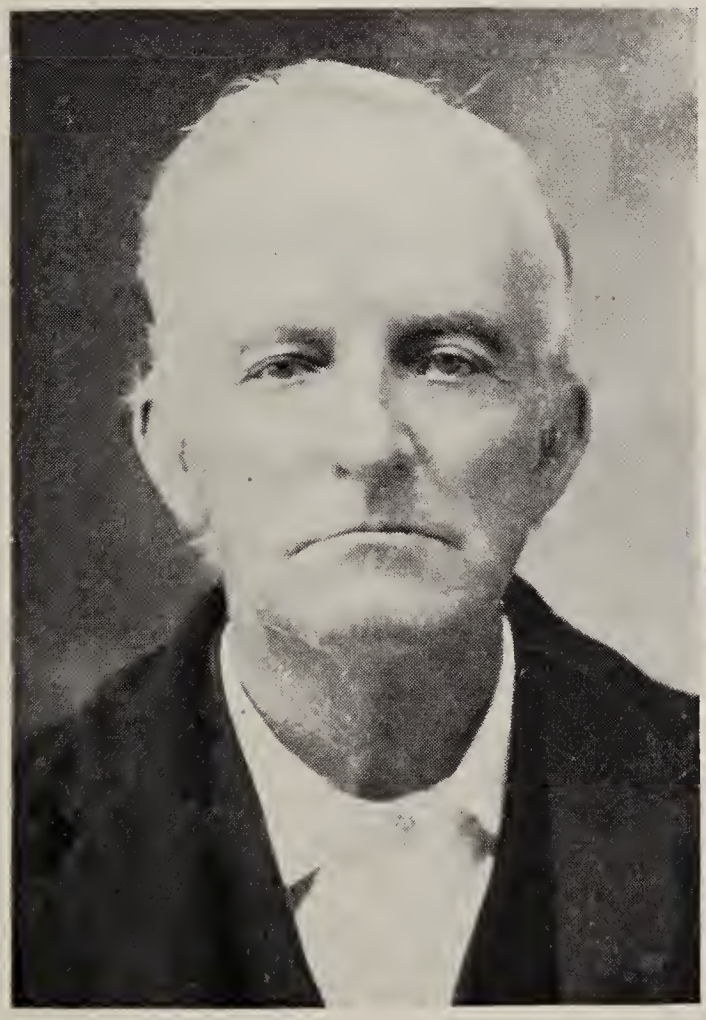
Because of his wit, shrewdness and love of jokes Jack Cross or "Uncle Jack" as he was familiarly called in his later years, was known throughout the country. He took pleasure in recounting the tales of the past and as he lived to be eighty-six years old he was a connecting link between the old generations and the present. His stories varied from humorous incidents of life and practical jokes to the more serious stories of the Civil War.

One story told of an aunt who was preparing for her wedding. The preacher had arrived and she was not dressed. Then she saw the groom approaching so she rushed up the steps to the upper room which in those days was a crude affair. In her haste in dressing she tipped a clapboard and was precipitated in the midst of the group below. She lighted running and didn't stop until she came to a corn shock. Here she stayed in hiding until her mother came to her rescue with her clothes.

Among his Civil War stories he told of a group of men in his neighborhood who had to live in the woods in the bushwhacking times and forage for food. The women would bring it to them putting it in different places from time to time. At one time he slipped into his home for a short visit and before he could get away he was surprised by the Northern troops. He ran into the bedroom, slipped off his boots quickly and jumped into bed. By the time the



WILLIAM BLYTHE CROSS and MARY J. (SHORES) CROSS



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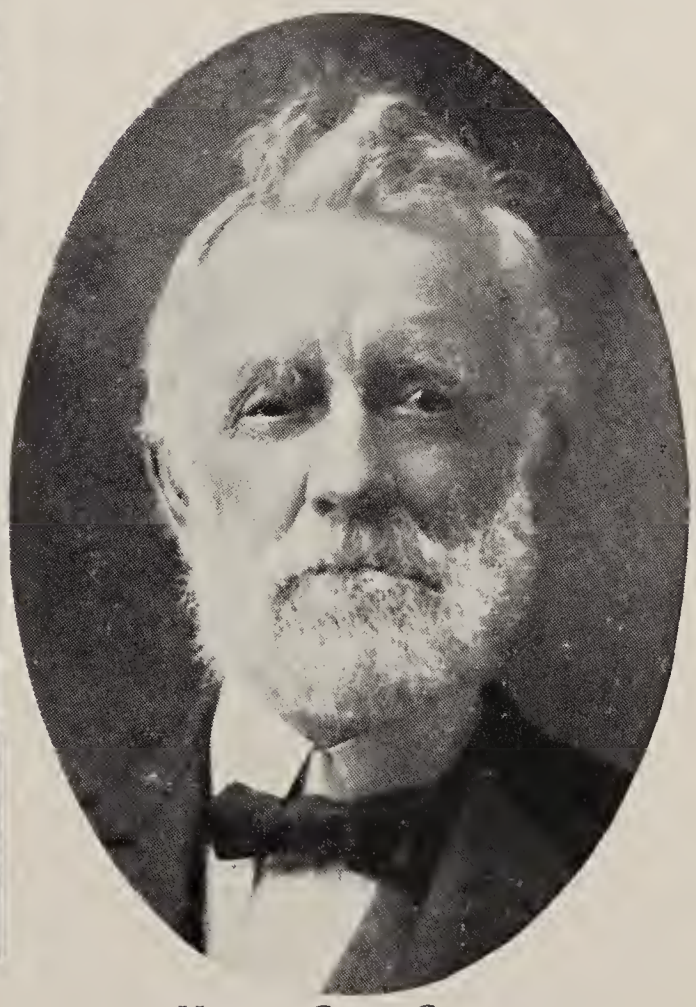

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soldiers had come into the house he was in a comatose condition and Aunt Margaret who sat by the bed weeping, expressed gravest fears for his condition. The leader of the squad went out to consult for a few moments and came back evidently intent on some action, but Uncle Jack says he was worse this time, so the troops withdrew. Aunt Margaret laughed and said after they were gone that Uncle Jack ought to be hanged for his tricks.

A later story told about the local option election in Huntsville. Uncle Jack went to town and was at his daughter's house for dinner. As a joke, she pinned a white ribbon representing the W. C. T. U. on the back of Uncle Jack's overcoat as it was lying on the rack. Later when Uncle Jack was downtown with his coat on, some people began to joke him about it, and asked how he happened to be a dry man. As soon as he discovered what was the matter he exclaimed, "Well, I may be dry behind but I am wet in front."

In 1857 when the Old North Mo. R. R. was being built through Mo., Uncle Jack while visiting his brothers, William and George near what is now Clark, went with William and others to see the men building the new road. It was a novel sight to them and Uncle Jack asked many questions of the laborers. One big Irishman who ought to have discovered that Uncle Jack himself was Irish, told him that a little boy like him should not ask questions and that he had better keep out of the way. Uncle Jack's answer was a lick that sent the big man sprawling in a ditch. The other workers cheered Uncle Jack uproariously and chided the other man unmercifully as he slowly regained his position.

13. HENRY CLAY CROSS,[4] (John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 25, 1834, near Roanoke, Mo., d. Jan. 6, 1927; m. Sept. 5, 1871, in Shelby Co., Mo., Susan Elizabeth Taylor, b. in Shelby Co. May 4, 1853, d. Feb. 29, 1928, daughter of Francis Perry Taylor and Mary Howard Heninger, two of Shelby Co.'s earliest and most prominent citizens, granddaughter of Major Taylor and Elizabeth Ford, also of William Heninger and Susan Kimble. The Taylor family was from Ky. Mr. Cross was a farmer and stockman; he moved to Shelby County in 1850 and lived near Clarence, moving into town in 1903. He and his wife were active members of the Methodist church and both are buried in the Maplewood cemetery at Clarence.

Children (Cross)—all born near Clarence, Mo.:

35. i. Sarah Olivia, b. July 17, 1872; m. George Henry Blackman.
36. ii. Leston, b. Oct. 16, 1875; m. Mollie Butner.
37. iii. Elmer Francis, b. May 24, 1878; m. Pearl Teter.
iv. Perle A., b. Dec. 18, 1885, lives on old home place.
v. Roy Everett, b. Mar. 5, 1888, d. Oct. 2, 1895.
38. vi. Mazo Suda, b. Sept. 23, 1889; m. Leslie Bell.

Henry Clay Cross was a remarkable man, living to the age of ninety-two years. He took a great interest in helping collect family history data and the following excerpts from letters indicate some of the facts he had knowledge of.

Under date of Apr. 3, 1899 he wrote:

> "My Great-grandfather William Cross, the emigrant, had two brothers, George and John who came to this country from England."
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> "My grandfather William Cross, Jr., and great grandfather, William, the emigrant, were in the Revolutionary War. Grandfather was fifteen years old. He told me when I was a small boy, that he was out of the fort only in one fight with the Indians, and that lasted three hours. The two were blacksmiths and were seldom taken out, but were left in the fort to make spikes and slugs to shoot out of the cannon. . . . Once, they were attacked by Indians while in the fort, and the cannon turned loose tearing up the brush, and killing and driving the Indians back. . . .
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> "My grandfather was a great fighter. Once, when passing a house on horseback he heard a woman yelling. He got down, hitched his horse and went into the house and found a man whipping his wife. He took the woman's part and downed the man and was beating him, when the woman seized a shovel and struck grandfather on the head and then chased him out into the yard. He ever afterwards carried a scar on his forehead."

In a letter of Mar. 3, 1921, he described his grandfather as being large, weighing about 200 pounds, six feet high with gray hair. He was quick, nervous and high strung. His great grandfather was a small man. The Indians hated him. One day they caught a man who they thought was Cross and cut him all to pieces—but it happened not to be the right man. . . .

> "He (the grandfather) was sent to New Orleans to take part in the battle at that place in 1814, but arrived too late for action."
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> "My father was born in Ky., Dec., 1793, and my mother was born in Ky. Dec. 17, 1797. They were married Aug. 28, 1817, and came to Mo. later in the same year and settled in Howard Co."
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> "At Braddock's Defeat in Penn. in the French and Indian War, he (Wm., the emigrant) was severely wounded by a bullet which lodged in his shoulder, and eventually, some forty years later caused his death. . . . He married and settled in Botetourt Co., Va. . . . My grandfather, William Cross, was born in Va. Aug. 22, 1766, and moved to Ky. There by his first wife, Sarah McCown, he had two sons, George and John. After these children were born, he separated from his wife and took his son, John, back to his folks in Va., and his wife took George and went to her folks in Tenn. The reason she took the oldest son with her was because he could drive a team back to where her people lived. Later she married a man named Adam Moore and moved to Ill. where they reared a large family. One of them (the Moore children), Samuel Moore, visited our family in Mo. in 1858, and I was with him in Ill. in 1864."
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> "My father, John Cross, once went on horseback from Mo. to Ill. to visit his mother and her family. They were surprised and overjoyed to see him. He also visited his brother George, who settled in Ill. and reared a large family there.
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> "My grandfather, William Cross, and most of his children moved from Ky. to Mo., and settled in Randolph and Macon counties."

Elmer Cross of Clarence, Mo., relates this story about his father:

"After the completion of the Hannibal and St. Joe R. R., now of the C. B. and Q. system—the first R. R. built west of the Mississippi River, it was announced that the first train was to run through what is now Clarence. He being of an excitable nature planned to see this train. So he saddled up an old mule and made for the R. R. In the distance he could hear the puff of the engine and see great clouds of smoke. The mule also being excitable while yet some distance away, took fright and ran away towards home. By the time they were quieted down the train was out of sight. The next time he came to town to see his first train, he rode a horse and getting off a mile from the R. R. and tying his horse to a tree, he walked in and saw the wonderful train.

"During the rebellion Pa was drafted in the Federal Army, but being a Southern sympathizer, was taken prisoner to Paris, Mo., and held under guard by men with fixed bayonets to prevent his escape. But he succeeded in working a ruse on them by telling them his mother was very ill and he wished a furlough. It was granted. He visited his mother and then in company with William Shores and others, ran off to Bloomington, Ill., and remained till after the war. Pa belonged to that ill fated company of soldiers that was massacred at Centralia, Mo. I think this happened the next day after Pa ran away."

14. HARRISON CROSS[4] (John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 21, 1838, near Roanoke, Howard Co., Mo., named in honor of William Henry Harrison, the Whig president, whom his father greatly admired. At the age of ten years while riding a horse to water, Harrison was thrown and his left arm broken. A young doctor was called and set the arm, but bound it so tightly that it had to be amputated. There was little left of the arm, but he developed wonderful strength in the other arm. He could handle a rifle or do a man's full work in timber or at the plow. He was six feet, two inches in height, of fine physique and universally popular. He was given a fairly good education and became a school teacher, in which profession he commanded the best wages paid to teachers of country schools.

He espoused the cause of the South and took up arms in its behalf. He went south with Gen. Price, and in the battle of Springfield, Mo., he fell wounded. Soon he recovered consciousness and on examination, found his only wound, was a bullet stripe across his breast. He and a few comrades were cut off from Price's army and went into Ky. He made his way to the home of his uncle James Blythe, in Madison Co., Ky., and there remained for nearly a year. Having only one arm he was not suspected of having been a Confederate soldier and was not molested by the Union soldiers that he met frequently while there. He was well treated by his uncle's family and thought so much of them that he named his daughters for his two cousins, Dovey and Lucy.

He returned to Mo. and again began teaching but was arrested and banished from the state as a southern sympathizer. He went to Ill. but soon returned and taught school again.

His Aunt Vicy Cross bought the old Cross homestead and willed it to him on condition that he should care for her until her death. There Aunt Vicy lived for many years but being very fleshy, could not care for herself. So she had living with her Miss Fanny Lamb whose family were among the early settlers of that section.

On Apr. 9, 1872, Harrison Cross married Fanny Lamb, b. Feb. 13, 1851, daughter of William Lamb and Missouri Ann George, granddaughter of William George and Lucy Willis from Danville, Ky. Not long after their marriage, while driving to church at Roanoke, Aunt Vicy fell from the wagon and was killed. Harrison lived on the farm a few years longer, then sold out and moved to Texas, and from there to Okla. He settled near Sasakwa and died there Dec. 16, 1896, from the effects of an internal injury received from a horse's falling down with him a year previously. He was buried in the McGee Cemetery near his home. His wife married again and died there in 1921.

Children (Cross)—all born in Howard Co., Mo.:

i. Dovey Louvicey, b. June 2, 1874, d. Oct. 11, 1897; m. Albert Black, Mar. 22, 1897.
39. ii. Lucy, b. Feb. 4, 1876; m. Will Brown.
40. iii. William J., b. Dec. 9, 1878; m. Callie Landreth.
iv. Enola, b. Nov. 7, 1880, lives at Sasakwa, Okla., where she is owner of an apartment house.

Excerpts from letters of Harrison Cross to Henry Clay Cross, then in Neoga, Ill.:

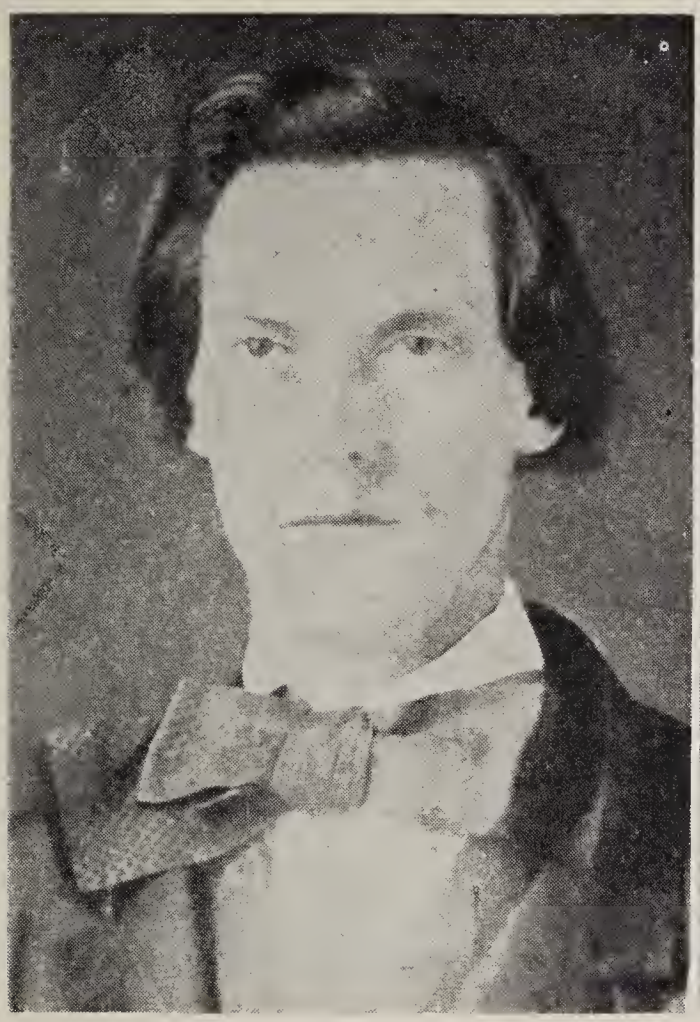
Richmond, Ky.
June the 22nd, 1865.

Mr. Henry C. Cross,
My dear Brother,

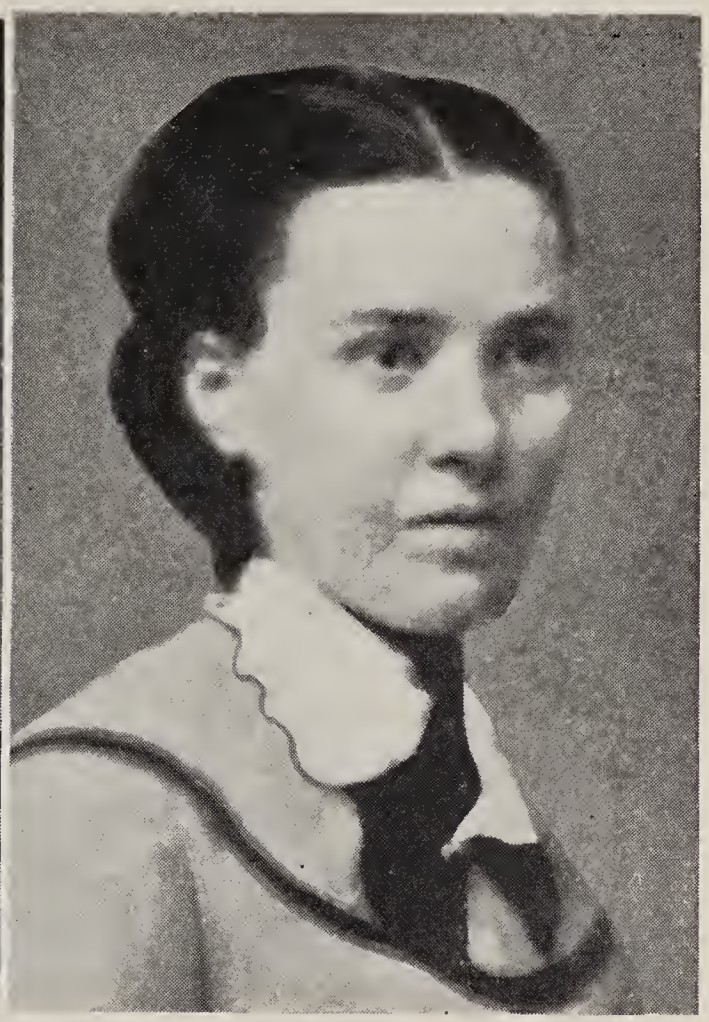
I received your most welcome letter this evening and its contents was perused with pleasure, I was truly glad to hear that you was well but sorry to hear that you were but little better pleased with that part of the country, for I hoped you would find a much better class of people and enjoy yourself some better. . . .

And if you go to that territory (Nebraska) this fall and you are pleased with the country I will come soon next spring for I believe that is the place to go to make a start in the world. In this country where all are rich old settlers it is hard for one to get a start. Land is worth from fifty to one hundred dollars per acre, and if one wishes to go into society he must dress well here—and that will always keep a person out of change and when one gets out of money they lose their best friends.

I am enjoying myself very well here. I have a good many stock to see after, but I have to go to every party and everything that is to do with my



HARRISON CROSS—1860



FANNY (LAMB) CROSS—1872

ENOLA CROSS and LUCY (CROSS) BROWN

cousins, Lucy and Dovey. This week I have been with them at the great examination at the Richmond College which will last all week.

I get a good many letters from Mo. They all say that times are still bad, and I want you to be careful when you go back and not get into any dangers or difficulties. Times are very quiet here at the present time, except there is a horse stolen or a negro walks off and assert his freedom occasionally.

I want you when you leave Ill. to write to me often and keep me posted where you are and write in your next where Uncle Thomas Howard is at. What is his address? Write soon and often,

Your affectionate brother,
Harrison C.

Fourteen years later

March 23rd, 1879,
Crystal Falls,
Stephen County, Texas.

Mr. H. C. Cross, (Clarence, Mo.),

Dear Brother:

Yours of Feb. 19th came to hand last Monday. I was glad to hear from you and family. We are all well at this time. I am on a rented farm this year which I pay for in work. I have to stake and rider a fence around sixteen acres and grub a corner of about three acres, then I get all I can make and a cow and calf to boot.

I bought eighty acres of land with no improvements on it, at $2.50 per acre, and have the lumber ready to put me up a house, but will not build till the crop is laid by.

We are having a very dry time here, no rain of account for several weeks. We had a hard winter, or what the old settlers say, but the easiest I ever experienced. We had about two weeks cold weather, snow fell four inches deep and ice was two inches thick on the creeks. I think this will be a good country to live in. Cattle and all stock go through the winter without feeding though several died while the cold weather lasted.

This is a new country and only settled by neighborhood. Land can be had from one to five dollars per acre. Timber enough to fence and fire wood but the timber is not good, mostly post oak, except on creeks where you find plenty pecan, hackberry and cottonwood. Stock rates: cows $15 to $20, three year old steers $20 to $25, two year $15 to $20, yearlings from $8 to $15, calves $5 to $8. Mules from $50 to $100, horses none selling. Times are hard here, everybody out of money.

I want you to come and look at the country and see how you like it and take nobody's say-so. I would be glad to have you near me but you must come and look and see. Come next fall and we will take a good look. I want to look around after while and see more of the country.

Al Green is my nearest neighbor at present, but one is building in a quarter. Al lives half a mile, my land and his join. Hamp Green started for the south part of the state this morning.

Sis likes here very well and she says she would like it better if she had more neighbors.

I will close this hasty written letter hoping you will excuse mistakes and write soon. Give my kind wishes to Sue and the children and same to yourself.

Your brother, Harrison Cross.

15. SALLY ANN CROSS[4] (John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 6, 1842, in Howard Co., Mo., d. Oct. 27, 1870, buried in the old Cross cemetery near Armstrong, Mo., m. Frank Kirby, b. Jan. 6, 1833, in Howard Co., Mo., d. Feb. 9, 1907, and buried in Friendship cemetery,

son of John Kirby and Sally Ann Wharton who came to Mo. from Ky. Frank Kirby m. (2) Minerva Holtzclaw. He was in the Confederate Army in the Civil War with several of his brothers.

Children (Kirby)—all born in Carroll Co., Mo.:

i. John Henry, d. in infancy, buried in Carroll Co.
41. ii. Sallie Ann, b. Oct. 14, 1870; m. (1) Thomas Swetnam, (2) William Beach.
42. iii. Francis Marion (Frank), b. Oct. 14, 1870; m. Grace Morrison.

16. JOHN R. CROSS[4] (William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), m. Feb. 20, 1845 (Macon Co. Records), Martha Sneed, daughter of John Sneed of Macon Co., Mo. He d. Sept. 1862 or 63.

Children (Cross)—all born at Bevier, Mo.:

43. i. Lewis, b. Nov. 11, 1849; m. (1) Betsy Cross, (2) Julia Franklin Denny.
44. ii. William H., b. Mar. 19, 1847; m. Susan Johnson.
iii. Mary, m. Anderson Hill and had two children, Willie and Jack.
iv. Margaret Jane (Peggy), m. Charley Ofield, had three children. Address, Mendota, Mo.

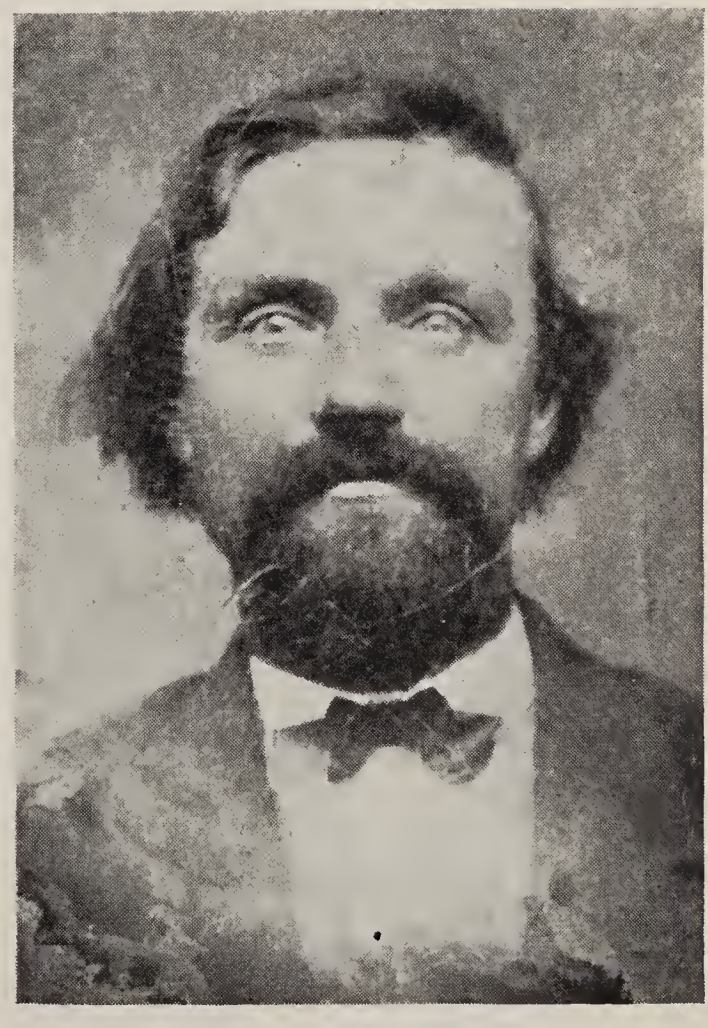
17. ELIZABETH (BETSY) CROSS[4] (William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. 1827, d. Jan. 24, 1864; m. in Howard Co., Mo., Lewis Winkler, b. 1822, d. Jan. 14, 1888, son of John and Jane Abner Winkler of Chariton Co., Mo.

Children (Winkler)—all born in Macon Co., Mo.:

45. i. Mary Frances, b. Oct. 26, 1840; m. Royal McKenzie.
ii. Ann, m. Henry Scott and had one child.
iii. John, b. Mar. 31, 1848; m. Tersey Dawson, had one child.
iv. William (Bill), m. Jessie Hanks, had one child. He died 1931, family lives at Bevier, Mo.
v. Rachel, b. July 16, 1853, in Macon Co.; m. there Mar. 20, 1878, Adolphus McKenzie, b. Jan. 18, 1853, in Mahoning Co., Ohio, son of Royal McKenzie and Sallie Vanetten. Children were Will, b. Jan. 1, 1879, m. Custia Milam, lives at Bevier, Mo., R. # 1; Allen, b. Dec. 25, 1882, d; Laura, b. Dec. 27, 1885, d.; and Alta b. Apr. 16, 1887, d. Address Bevier, Mo. R. R. # 1.
vi. Jim, m. Stella Fehd and had four children: Ernest, Earl, Fred, Frank. Address Bevier, Mo., R. # 1.
vii. Jane, m. John Skinner and had one child.
46. viii. Lavica Ellen, b. Nov. 14 1857; m. J. E. Skinner.
47. ix. Bell Seney, b. Mar. 17, 1862; m. Blandy Smith Skinner.
x. Kate, b. July 9, 1861; m. Apr. 29, 1896, in Macon Co., Mo., John Mullinax, b. in Macon Co., Mo., in 1862, son of Solomon Mullinax and Elizabeth Hughes. He was a farmer; his widow lives at Callao, Mo.

18. WILLIAM RICHARD (DICK) CROSS[4] (William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. in 1825 at Mill Spring, Ky., d. Aug. 20, 1896, in Macon

William Richard (Dick) Cross



Wright Cross

Co., Mo.; m. Mercy Moore, b. Sept. 29, 1827, d. Dec. 11, 1900, daughter of Jesse and Patsy Moore of Macon Co. The Macon Co. Records, p. 53, show: "William Cross and Massa Moor married May 30, 1844." He was a blacksmith until fifty years of age, then because of eye trouble, turned his attention to his farm of 320 acres. He was strong of body, sturdy in character, and trained his children in right living. He and his wife joined the Baptist Church in early life. Their bodies now rest in the Concord Cemetery five miles south of Callao, Mo.

Children (Cross)—all born in Macon Co., Mo.:

48. i. William H., b. 1845; m. (1) Nannie Vickery. (2) Rebecca Stokes.
49. ii. John Taylor, b. Aug. 1, 1848; m. Zella Caroline Stoddard.
50. iii. George Washington, b. Oct. 22, 1852; m. (1) Susie Nichols, (2) Martha Frances Cook.
51. iv. Mary Elizabeth, b. June 14, 1855; m. James A. Wright.
52. v. James T., m. (1) Mary Burris, (2) Angeline Green.
53. vi. Rachel, b. May 24, 1858; m. Frank Hall.
54. vii. Richard, b. May 14, 1860; m. Martha Jane Burris.
55. viii. Thomas Toleman, b. June 2, 1866; m. (1) Lou Birdie Rice, (2) Annie Cook.
ix. Sarah, b. Feb. 14, 1869, d. Jan. 27, 1931; m. Oct. 1, 1890, Albert Baker, b. Apr. 10, 1860, son of Purnell Baker, b. June 27, 1832, and Tabitha Evans, b. Feb. 22, 1840, d. Jan. 1918; m. Oct. 17, 1855, in Delaware. Two sons live at Bevier, Mo.; Everett, b. Sept. 16, 1891, at Callao, Mo., m. Lena Tetter; and Martin, b. Dec. 24, 1911.

19. WRIGHT CROSS[4] (William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. in Ky., d. in Macon Co., Mo., Jan. 24, 1886, buried in Concord Cemetery five miles south of Callao, Mo., served in Co. Militia during Civil War; m. Jan. 15, 1853, by Robert McDaniel to Elizabeth Hinton, b. in Randolph Co., d. in Macon Co. Nov. 24, 1868, daughter of Christopher Hinton of N. C.; m. (2) Fannie Reynolds by whom he had four sons.

Children (Cross)—all born in Macon Co., Mo.:

i. Eliza Grady, b. Jan. 24, 1857; m. Jan. 23, 1876, John Franklin Shipp. Child; Mattie, b. Aug. 28, 1887, d. Aug. 23, 1915; m. (2) Wm. Gross, lives at Callao, Mo., R. # 2.
56. ii. William James, b. Jan. 15, 1854; m. Martha Elizabeth Burnett.
57. iii. Thomas Willis, b. Oct. 4, 1860; m. Martha Jane Miles.
58. iv. Bettie Ann, b. June 30, 1864; m. W. T. Summers.
59. v. Virginia Florence, b. Mar. 14, 1866; m. James D. Shoemaker.
vi. John Robert, b. May 3, 1874; m. Clara Purdy.
vii. Bert, b. Feb. 4, 1877. Lives at Chatsworth, Calif.
viii. George Harvey, b. Feb. 18, 1879.
ix. Girtha, b. May 12, 1883, lives in Shenandoah, Iowa.

20. MARY JANE CROSS[4] (James,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 15, 1844 in Macon Co., Mo., d. Feb. 15, 1920, at LaPlata, Mo.; m.

Nov. 27, 1854, at LaPlata, Mo. Milton Calvin Williams b. in 1822 in Ky.

Children (Williams)—born at LaPlata, Mo.:

i. Ernest, b. Sept. 15, 1867; m. Margaret Day, Address, LaPlata, Mo. No. children.
ii. Bessie, b. Oct. 1, 1876; m. Aug. 14, 1906, in Kirksville, Mo. Roscoe Eugene Gooding, b. Mar. 10, 1875, in Macon Co., son of John B. Gooding and Melissa Wells. He is a banker and merchant at LaPlata Mo., and both are members of the Christian Church.

21. SAMUEL S. MATHIS[4] (Nancy,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 13, 1847, d. Apr. 2, 1913; m. Isabelle Mason, d. Mar. 18, 1904, daughter of William Mason and Cynthia Richson. Both are buried in the Steele Cemetery near Elmer, Mo., ten miles southwest from LaPlata and nine miles northwest from Atlanta, Mo.

Children (Mathis)—born in Macon Co., Mo.:

i. Lou Ettie, b. Sept. 28, 1868, d. Aug. 20, 1920; m. Dec. 11, 1884, William Dunnington. One child, Alma Clarence, lives at LaPlata, Mo.
ii. Myrtle Adra, b. Dec. 27, 1870; m. Mar. 9, 1892, Thomas Simms, b. Dec. 26, 1869, son of Alford A. Simms, b. Nov. 19, 1819, and Rachel Mathis. No. children. Address, LaPlata, Mo.
60. iii. James W., b. Mar. 15, 1877; m. Lettie Lena Hatfield.
61. iv. Della Viola, b. Dec. 26, 1880; m. Johnnie Johnston.

22. JOHN C. MATHIS[4] (Nancy,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 28, 1849, d. 1883; m. in 1873 in Macon Co., Mo., Elizabeth Hall b. in 1855, daughter of Tom Hall and Emily Enyart of Macon Co.

Children (Mathis)—born in Macon Co., Mo.:

62. i. James T., b. Dec. 10, 1879; m. Mora Scott.

23. MARY LOUISE MATHIS[4] (Nancy,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 22, 1854, d. Apr. 18, 1926, in Gage, Okla.; m. Apr. 14, 1875, at Macon, Mo., to General LaFayette Williams, b. June 4, 1851.

Children (Williams)—all born in Macon Co., Mo.:

63. i. Eva Lena, b. Apr. 7, 1882; m. George Story.
64. ii. Orval Clinton, b. May 5, 1884; m. Trella Eunice Bealmear.
iii. Roy E., b. Mar. 4, 1887; m. Della Nelson, lives at 412 E. 11th, Kansas City, Mo. No children.

24. JAMES WILLIAM CROSS[4] (Vachel,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 6, 1848, in Adair Co., Mo.; m. Jan. 10, 1867, Esther Ann Thrift, b. June 16, 1849, d. Sept. 30, 1930. Address # 6, Box 83, Macon Mo.

"Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cross who live seven and one-half miles from Macon celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary at their home Jan. 10. Mr. Cross is 82 years old and Mrs. Cross is 80. Both are in good health

and active in the work around the home and on the farm. Their son, Leonard, lives with them and of course, assumes the heavier portion of the farm work, but last spring, just to show them he had not forgotten how to plow, Mr. Cross spent one whole day in the field plowing corn. The 10th of Jan. last (1930) was not only their wedding anniversary but marked 63 years of life on the same farm on which they were married." —Macon Co. paper, January, 1930.

Children (Cross)—born in Macon Co., Mo.:

i. William Leonard, b. Sept. 1, 1868, living at home.
65. ii. Charles Arthur, b. Jan. 5, 1872; m. Clella Powell.

25. BENJAMIN JEFFERSON CROSS[4] (Vachel,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 3, 1854, d. Oct. 1, 1923, and is buried in Mt. Salem Cemetery near College Mound, Mo.; m. Dec. 25, 1884, Minta Berilla Teter, b. Feb. 11, 1867, youngest daughter of John and Julette Teter. Mrs. Cross lives at College Mound, Mo.

Children (Cross)—born at College Mound, Mo.:

i. William McGee, b. Aug. 23, 1892; m. May 30, 1917, May Baker, b. Bevier, Mo., May 1, 1897, daughter of Henry Calvin Baker and Ettie Sherman. No children. Mr. Cross is a general contractor living at 2109 E. 2nd Street, Tulsa, Okla.

FIFTH GENERATION

26. JOHN NEWTON CROSS[5] (William,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 20, 1850, in Howard Co., Mo., moved to Randolph Co. at the age of two years; m. Apr. 12, 1876, in Howard Co., Olivia McClure Harris, b. Apr. 21, 1850, in Howard Co., daughter of Thomas Banks Harris, b. May 2, 1818, d. Jan. 22, 1904, and Margaret Dun Thompson, b. Dec. 12, 1828, and d. Nov. 13, 1888; granddaughter of William Harris and Margaret Downing, and of Morgan Nero Thompson and Elizabeth Williams who was the daughter of Colden Williams and Mary Short. (Colden Williams was a Revolutionary soldier in the Continental Line under Peter Bascot and a member of Col. Abraham Shepherd's 10th North Carolina Regiment.) Mrs. Cross was also a great granddaughter of Thomas Harris and Mary Owings.

Mr. Cross settled in Audrain Co., Mo., in 1876, later moving to Boone Co., then to California where he lived at Keyes until the death of his wife May 26, 1928.

Children (Cross)—all born in Audrain Co., Mo.:

66. i. Lulu Harris, b. Mar. 6, 1877; m. Edwin Morris.
67. ii. Annie Helen, b. Dec. 13, 1878; m. Charles Henry Caswell.
68. iii. Mary Thompson, b. Oct. 22, 1884; m. Redmond S. Cole.
69. iv. William Thomas, b. May 1, 1887; m. Dorothy Embry.

At the Golden Wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cross, celebrated by a community program in the school house at Keyes, Calif., Apr. 11, 1926, the following story of their lives was read:

"Many years ago in far off Missouri a troth was plighted with prayer and consideration for the future. A country boy with meager schooling, except that obtained by his own ambitious efforts, and a shy country girl whose capabilities were hidden in the efficient services of everyday home-making, linked their destinies together and on April 12, 1876, they started hand in hand down the road of life.

"Many joys and sorrows, disappointments and dreams fulfilled, have made up this journey of theirs. Many homes have been theirs and many have they blessed as they have met their fellow travelers on the long road.

"The first years of their life together were spent in country homes in Howard, Randolph and Audrain counties, Mo. Four children, three girls and a boy, came to gladden their home. Because of the children another move was made to Boone county, Mo., so that the children could have the higher education that the parents had always longed for.

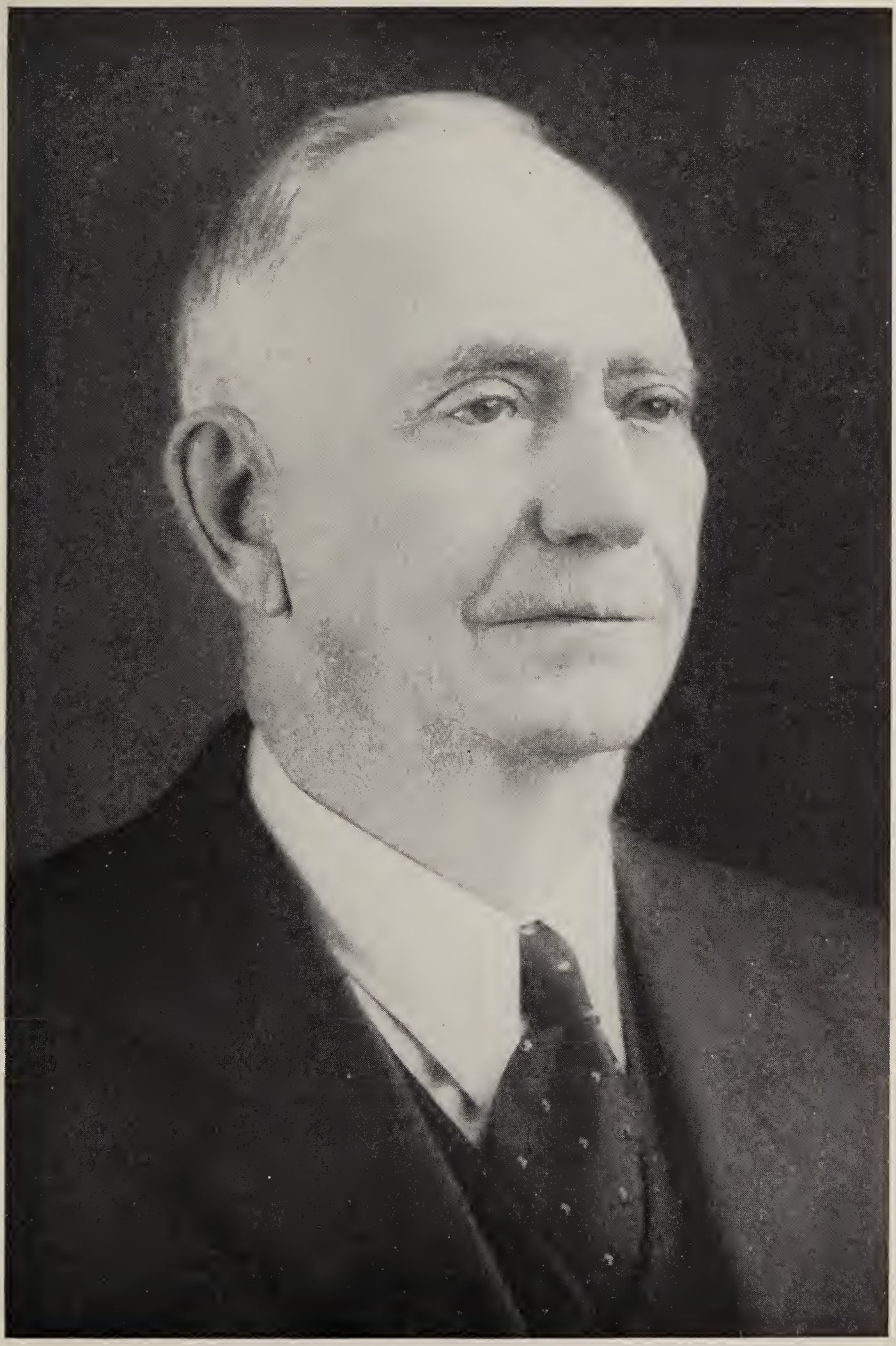
"While the mother managed the home and all its interests, training the children by precept and example to highest forms of service, the father in similar way was using every ounce of influence in the cause of righteousness among his fellow men. He had opportunity for this form of service because for thirty-three years he taught school, thus reaching many immature lives who were influenced by his uprightness. As a teacher he was several times county school commissioner of Audrain county. In local lodges he was always a leader. He edited two newspapers, one at Laddonia and one at Mexico, Mo. In Columbia he was joint editor of another newspaper and led a movement that eventually drove the saloons out of Columbia in days before prohibition was even considered. Wherever this couple lived or went their influence was always felt, because they lived lives of service.

"In November, 1908, a move was made that changed the course of their lives. Pioneer souls ever desire new territory to develop, so off they started for the land of their dreams in the Golden State. Here a new life of joy and service with plenty of hard work began, and here they have made a home for themselves.

"So tonight we are here to celebrate the golden wedding anniversary of these loved ones—John Newton Cross and Olivia McClure Harris, who have come thus far on the road of life carrying their burdens as Christians should, sharing their joys with fellow wayfarers and always lifting a helping hand to any in distress.

"At the end of time, if St. Peter should ask in stern tones for them to tell truthfully which spot on earth was dearest to them, without hesitation and together as always, they would answer Keyes, California."

27. SUSAN CATHERINE CROSS[5] (William,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]). b. Jan. 21, 1854, in Randolph Co., Mo., d. Mar. 27, 1913; m. Mar. 27, 1873, Presly True Martin, b. Jan. 26, 1848, in Randolph Co., d. May 15, 1908, buried in New Hope Cemetery five miles north of Clark, Mo., son of Noah Martin and Judith Pate Oliver, grandson of Henry Martin and Mary Murphy, and of Presly True Oliver and Jane Christian. The Martin family was from N. C. and Presly Martin was a farmer near Clark, Mo.



JAMES THOMAS CROSS

Children (Martin):

70. i. Mary Judith, b. Jan. 27, 1874, in Randolph Co.; m. (1) Theodore Bartee, (2) J. C. Gallup, (3) Charles Henry Hays, (4) G. V. Lewis.
71. ii. Viola True (Ola), b. Apr. 1, 1877, in Randolph Co.; m. Roy Oldham.
iii. William Noah, b. Jan. 14, 1881, in Adair Co., Mo.; m. Dec. 20, 1905, at New Frankfort, Mo., Mary Victoria Babler, daughter of Michael Babler and Margaret Reider, granddaughter of Fred Babler and wife, Margaret, and of Conrad Reider and Katherine Kraus, originally from Guntersblum, Germany. Address, Clint, Texas, R. # 1.
72. iv. Onie Oscar, b. Aug. 17, 1884, in Adair Co., Mo.; m. (1) Hattie Patrick, (2) ————.
v. Loretta Nadine, b. Mar. 16, 1890, in Audrain Co., Mo., d. Mar. 21, 1891, buried in New Hope Cemetery.

28. JAMES THOMAS CROSS[5] (William,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 6, 1856, at Clark, Mo.; m. May 28, 1893, at Sturgeon, Mo., Cora Woods, b. May 9, 1870, d. Nov. 14, 1921, buried at Moberly, Mo., daughter of Robert Clark Woods and Elizabeth Seymour, granddaughter of Barnabas Woods and Martha Cora Woods, also of John and Chloe Seymour. The Woods family was originally from Ky.

Children (Cross)—born in St. Louis:

i. Harold Woods, b. Mar. 29, 1895, d. Oct. 13, 1895.
ii. Hilda Kathleen, b. Mar. 29, 1895, d. July 26, 1895.

The following account of the life of James Thomas Cross is taken from a Moberly, Mo. paper of April 17, 1927.

"James Thomas Cross was born Apr. 16, 1856, on a farm near the present location of Clark, and is still a citizen of Randolph Co. . . . At that early date wild game abounded, there were thousands of prairie chickens, wild turkeys and quail which found abundant food on the prairies. Wild pigeons were so plentiful that at one time when they were flying north they were so thick that the sun was partly obscured for a day.

"Mr. Cross lived a happy, contented life on the farm. . . . When he was twenty years old he began teaching in the rural districts. He attended college to complete his education and graduated from the Mo. State University in 1881. After graduation Mr. Cross continued his work as instructor, being principal of the public schools in Renick, Sturgeon and Brunswick. During these years he was called Prof. Cross. . . .

"Moberly knows Mr. Cross as a leading lumber dealer and this era of his life began in 1892 when he accepted a position under D. S. Flagg Lumber Co. For fifteen years he remained with this company. During this time he had lumber yards in three Mo. towns, Clark, Louisiana, and New Franklin. . . .

"He was a citizen of New Franklin for twelve years, during which time he managed the Flagg Lumber Yard with credit to himself and profit to the Company. While there, he was president of the Building and Loan Association, president of the School Board, Master of the Masonic Lodge and Superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School.

"Mr. Cross came to Moberly in July, 1907, and established the J. T. Cross Lumber Co. This proved to be a successful enterprise and the business has steadily increased year by year until the Cross Lumber Co. now ranks among the leading lumber companies in the middle west.

"Mr. Cross was elected mayor of Moberly in 1919. He served one term and was not a candidate for re-election. . . .

"In 1921 Cora Cross his faithful wife entered the great beyond. She was a great help to her husband, his constant companion and co-worker in all things for the good of mankind. The work of Mr. and Mrs. Cross during the World War was outstanding and of inestimable benefit.

"Since the death of his beloved wife Mr. Cross has left most of the management to his faithful younger partners and now spends much of his time traveling. He has already visited every state in the United States as well as Cuba, Old Mexico, and Canada.

"Mr. Cross is one of the leading members of the Fourth Street M. E. Church, the secretary of the Board of Trustees and Lay Leader for the church.

"At 220 South Fourth Street, a commodious and modern residence, the gift of Mr. Cross to the church, is known as the "Cora Cross Memorial Parsonage." This fifteen thousand dollar house stands as a husband's testimony to the sincerity of her religious belief and a memorial to her great influence in the life of their church."

Another outstanding gift made by Mr. Cross to the Methodist Church is the Cross Memorial Tower at Fayette, Mo. This is a part of the College Church of Central College, located on the campus at Fayette. The tower is at the rear of the new Gothic stone church. It is 24 by 36 feet in area, rising to a height of 96 feet. It is the central piece of the campus. It is erected over the main walk through the college campus. It is indeed very beantiful and imposing and is a lasting memorial to his wife, parents, brothers, sisters and children, whose names are inscribed thereon.

29. SARAH CORNELIA (NELIA) CROSS[5] (William,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 3, 1863, at Clark, Mo.; m. Oct. 14, 1886, in Audrain Co., Mo., William Columbus Thrailkill, b. Mar. 13, 1857, in Laclede Co., Mo., son of William Levi Thrailkill and Minerva Mizer, grandson of John Mizer, of Tenn. Mrs. Thrailkill was a school teacher before her marriage. Mr. Thrailkill is a farmer, living at Clark, Mo.

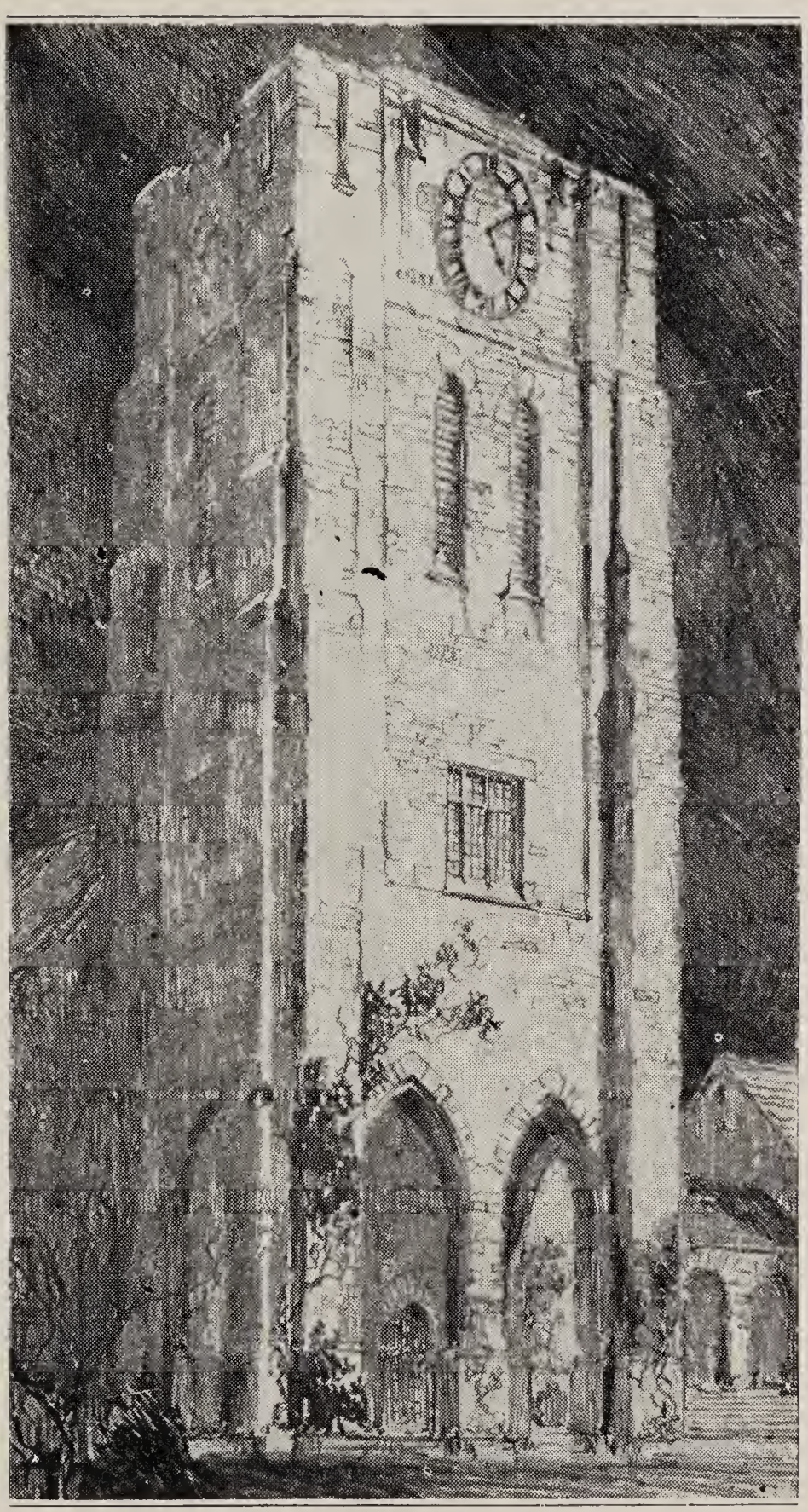
Children (Thrailkill)—all born in Randolph Co., Mo.:

i. Annie Mabel, b. Oct. 8, 1887. She attended school at Kirksville, Mo. Normal and taught school several years at Clark, Mo.; m. Jan 12, 1916, Len Carr, son of Matthew Carr and Kate Burgher. Address, Clark, Mo.

ii. Ida Josephine, b. Nov. 21, 1888; m. Maynard Cole. Address, Portland, Ore.

73. iii. Maurice William, b. Dec. 24, 1894; m. Mary Alice Parkin.

74. iv. Irene Mary, b. Dec. 3, 1896; m. Melville Shores.



CROSS MEMORIAL TOWER
FAYETTE. MO.

30. CASSIE LUE CROSS[5] (George,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 30, 1871, at Clark, Mo., d. Aug. 27, 1919, and buried in Chapel Grove Cemetery; m. Feb. 5, 1893, by Rev. Gulick to John Wesley Carr, b. Apr. 27, 1854, in Leesburg, Va., son of William Carr, a farmer in Boone Co., Mo., and Lucinda Elizabeth Triplett.

Children (Carr)—born in Boone Co., Mo.:

75. i. Lucy Nelle, b. Feb. 20, 1895; m. Robert Lee Alexander.
ii. Paul Omega, b. Jan. 28, 1898; m. Aug. 3, 1921, at Marshall, Mo., Jane Golden Lynch, b. June 15, 1896, at Odessa, Mo., daughter of William Monroe Lynch, b. Feb. 22, 1858, and Jennie Neodicia White, b. Dec. 15, 1859. Mr. Carr attended the State Teachers College at Kirksville, Mo., and the State University of Iowa. Mrs. Carr attended Stephens College at Columbia, Mo., State Teachers College at Kirksville, and at Warrensburg, Mo. Both are teachers. Address, 204 E. Davenport St., Iowa City, Iowa.

31. JOHN CROSS[5] (John,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 17, 1859, at Roanoke, Mo.; m. Mar. 7, 1882, at Huntsville, Mo., Katherine Roper Bonnel, b. Mar. 25, 1862, at Clark, Mo., daughter of Mason Bonnel, a farmer near Clark, Mo., and Lucy Ann Evans, granddaughter of Joseph Bonnel and Martha McGrath, and of John Evans and Eliza Roper, and great granddaughter of Jesse and Katherine Roper. Mr. Cross lived in Sturgeon many years, being employed by the Wabash Railroad. Present address, Centralia, Mo.

Children (Cross):

76. i. John Frederick, b. Sept. 13, 1883, at Salisbury, Mo.; m. Helen Peters.
77. ii. Gladys Ella, b. Apr. 3, 1890, at Clark, Mo.; m. Clay Miller.
78. iii. Jennie Marguerite, b. Sept. 26, 1893; m. Conrad Lee Robinson.

32. VIRGINIA (JENNIE) CROSS[5] (John,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 26, 1860, near Roanoke, Mo.; m. May 30, 1882, in Randolph Co., Mo., George Knox, b. Apr. 30, 1847, d. Aug. 27, 1930, son of Thomas Knox and Catherine Hempell, both born in Ireland and came to Mo., settling in Randolph Co.

Children (Knox)—all born in Randolph Co., Mo.:

79. i. Scottie, b. Sept. 7, 1883; m. William Irvin Westlake.
80. ii. John Thomas, b. Jan. 31, 1885; m. Anna Sears.
81. iii. Archie Doyle, b. Aug. 4, 1894; m. Leola Cunningham.

33. LEIGHTON YANCEY CROSS[5] (John,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 1, 1864, near Roanoke, Mo.; m. at Salisbury, Mo., Jan. 8, 1891, Minnie Dell Patton, b. Mar. 9, 1867, at Roanoke, Mo., daughter of James R. Patton, a farmer near Roanoke, Mo., and Nannie Daniels Embree. Mr. Cross died of dropsy Aug. 22, 1911;

and was buried at Clifton Hill, Mo. He was a farmer, a Democrat and Baptist. Mrs. Cross now resides at 1308 18th St., Granite City, Ill.

Children (Cross)—all born at Chraneville, Mo.:

82. i. Lee Redman, b. Oct. 27, 1891; m. Dessa Dell Weldon.
83. ii. Fleeta Mae, b. Mar. 9, 1893.
84. iii. George Knox, b. Aug. 9, 1895; m. Lucile Musick.
iv. Twin brother, d. infancy.
85. v. John Leighton, b. Mar. 13, 1897; m. Nellie Eunice Pace.
vi. James Patton, b. Nov. 30, 1899.

34. YEAMAN CROSS[5] (John,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 20, 1876, near Roanoke, Mo.; m. Apr. 3, 1899, at Armstrong, Mo., Lizzie Hunker, b. Oct. 25, 1877, d. Mar. 15, 1912, daughter of Leonard Hunker and Catherine Frederica Morlock, granddaughter of Josh Hunker and Ursula Droher, also of Gottlieb Morlock and Christine Catherine Hungerer.

Mr. Cross is a farmer; m. (2) Sept. 6, 1914, Mrs. Madie Maud (Minor) Morris, b. Mar. 24, 1875. Address, Clifton Hill, Mo.

Children (Cross)—all born near Roanoke, Mo.:

i. Albert Yancey, b. Jan. 9, 1900.
ii. Margaret Ann, b. Mar. 11, 1904; m. Robert Dodge, June 15, 1929. Address, Forest Green, Mo.
iii. John Lowry, b. Jan 7, 1909.
iv. Martin Leighton, b. July 15, 1911.

35. SARAH OLIVIA CROSS[5] (Henry,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 17, 1872, at Clarence, Mo.; m. Oct. 31, 1898, at Clarence, Mo., George Henry Blackman, b. Jan. 7, 1877, son of Henry Blackman and Katherine Kane, grandson of Richard William Henry Blackman and wife, Mary, also of Dennis Kane and Mary Holmes.

R. W. H. Blackman served through the Civil War, Co. G, 30th Iowa. Henry Blackman was b. in London, England, and his wife, Katherine, was b. in Adair, Ireland, coming to America at the age of twelve years and settling first in Ill.

George Henry Blackman is a farmer and stockman, and has lived at his present address all his life, Milan, Mo., R. # 2.

Children (Blackman)—born at Milan, Mo.:

i. Charlie Everette, b. Oct. 26, 1900.
ii. Clarence Henry, b. Sept. 7, 1910.

36. LESTON CROSS[5] (Henry,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 16, 1875, at Clarence, Mo., d. Oct. 15, 1921; m. Mar. 23, 1901, at

Clarence, Mo., Mollie Butner, b. July 3, 1884, daughter of James Wesley Butner and Alice Teter. Mr. Cross attended the Chillicothe Business College and was a farmer till his death. In Aug., 1931, Mrs. Cross, m. Merle Blackburn at Clarence, Mo.

Children (Cross)—all born near Clarence, Mo.:

i. Etta Pauline, b. May 2, 1903; m. Nov. 23, 1921, at Shelbina, Mo., Franklin Victor Hodgin, b. Oct. 3, 1901, at Clarence, Mo., son of W. N. Hodgin, b. Nov. 13, 1877, and Gertie Sherwood, b. Mar. 18, 1877. One child, Lou Ann, b. Sept. 14, 1931. Address, Clarence, Mo.
ii. May Carmen, b. May 29, 1905; m. June 30, 1923, at Clarence, Mo., Chester Moore, b. Mar. 31, 1903, at Clarence, Mo., son of Luther Moore and Anna Reeser. He is a farmer near Clarence, Mo.
iii. Alice Bernice, b. Feb. 29, 1916.

37. ELMER FRANCIS CROSS[5] (Henry,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 24, 1878, at Clarence, Mo.; m. Mar. 6, 1901, at Shelbina, Mo., Edna Pearl Teter, b. Dec. 6, 1880, at Shelbina, Mo., daughter of L. F. Teter, b. Mar. 13, 1854, and Etta Harper, b. Nov. 22, 1858.

Mr. Cross attended the Public Schools and M. E. C. S. College of Clarence, the Chillicothe Business College and the Kirksville Normal School. He is a steward of the Center St. Methodist Church, President of the School Board, Director in the Live Stock Shipping Association and member of the Co. Board of Mo. Farmers Association. Address, Clarence, Mo. R. # 1.

Children (Cross)—all born at Clarence, Mo.:

i. Tyla Imogene, b. Oct. 25, 1905, graduate of Clarence High School and Chillicothe Business College, Bookkeeper in Shelby Co. State Bank of Clarence.
ii. Henry Clayton, b. Nov. 25, 1908, graduate of Clarence High School, attended Central College at Fayette, Sr. at University of Mo. at Columbia, Mo., Civil Engineer working with Macon Div. of Mo. Highway Dept.
iii. Mary Frances, b. Feb. 6, 1924.

38. MAZO SUDA CROSS[5] (Henry,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 23, 1889, near Clarence, Mo.; m. Sept. 1, 1915, at Clarence, Mo., Leslie Heaton Bell, b. Dec. 30, 1891, at Stoutsville, Mo., son of Dr. T. W. Bell, b. Nov. 27, 1858, and Virginia Davis, b. Oct. 27, 1865; graduate of Mo. University, and at present Supt. of the Lexington, Mo. Schools: in 1918-19 Principal of the Lexington Schools, in 1917-18 Prin. of Cleveland, Okla. School; in 1914-17 Instructor in History and Chemistry in Moberly High School and during the summer of 1920 Instructor in History at the Warrensburg State Normal School,

Mrs. Bell is quite active in club work and the social life at Lexington, Mo. She is Treas. of the Parent-Teachers Association and Sec'y. of the Women's Club. Address, 1702 Oneida St., Lexington, Mo.

Children (Bell):

i. Marjorie Sue, b. Apr. 9, 1921, at Lexington, Mo.

39. LUCY CROSS[5], (Harrison,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 4, 1876, in Howard Co., Mo.; m. Dec. 3, 1895, at McGee, Okla., William Riley Brown, b. Mar. 10, 1873, in Dixon Co., Tenn., son of Billy Brown, b. Jan. 28, 1853, and Melissa Adcock, b. Mar. 17, 1854. Mr. Brown is a farmer at Sasakwa, Okla.

Children (Brown)—born at Stratford, Okla.:

86. i. Claude Harrison, b. May 5, 1897; m. Lenoir Bowles.
87. ii. Fannie Enola, b. July 16, 1899; m. (1) John Hardcastle, (2) Willie Woody.

40. WILLIAM J. (BILL) CROSS[5] (Harrison,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 9, 1878, in Howard Co., Mo.; m. Nov. 1, 1903, at Alden, Okla., Callie Landreth, b. Sept. 28, 1887, in Howard Co., Ark., daughter of Henry Landreth, b. in 1846, and Malinda Friend, b. Aug. 31, 1848. Mr. Cross lived at Sasakwa, Okla., where he was Deputy Sheriff for many years. At present he is Court Bailiff at Wewoka, Okla. Address, 704 S. Okfuskee.

Children: (Cross):

i. William Leslie, b. Mar. 1, 1905, at Allen, Okla.
ii. Walter Ernest, b. Jan. 11, 1912, at Sasakwa, Okla.

41. SALLIE ANN KIRBY[5] (Sallie Ann,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 14, 1870, in Carroll Co., Mo.; m. April 12, 1869, Thomas Swetnam, b. Apr. 12, 1869, son of Bartee Swetnam and Catherine Walkup. After his death Mrs. Swetnam m. (2) Dec. 28, 1899, William Beach, b. Dec. 23, 1850, son of Quenton Franklin Beach and Louise Hitaffer. He is a farmer living on the Old Cross homestead near Armstrong, Mo.

Children (Swetnam-Beach)—all born in Howard Co., Mo.:

88. i. Josephine Frances Swetnam, b. June 30, 1891; m. Walker Casper.
ii. Thomas B. Swetman, b. Mar. 20, 1894, d.
89. iii. Mary Louise Beach, b. July 11, 1900; m. Bennie Lay.
90. iv. Walter Scott, b. May 29, 1905; m. Elizabeth Copeland.

42. FRANCIS MARION (FRANK) KIRBY[5] (Sallie Ann,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 14, 1870, in Carroll Co., Mo.; m. Sept.

15, 1897, at Fayette, Mo., Grace Alwyn Morrison, b. Mar. 23, 1876, at Richmond, Ray Co., Mo., daughter of Charles H. Morrison, b. June 16, 1848, and Gertrude Wilburn Downey, b. July 18, 1855. Mr. Kirby is a farmer living near Armstrong, Mo.

Children (Kirby)—all born in Howard Co., Mo.:

91. i. Melvin Lee, b. Feb. 23, 1899; m. Irene Brooks.
ii. Gladys G., b. Oct. 4, 1902; m. Jan. 16, 1919, at Paris, Mo., Chester Littrell, b. May 25, 1897, in Monroe Co., Mo., son of Sidney Littrell, b. Jan. 10, 1855, and Corintha A., b. Dec. 22, 1863. He has charge of a grocery store at Cairo, Mo.
iii. Viola, b. May 4, 1907. At home.
iv. Morrison, b. Mar. 6, 1911, d. Mar. 19, 1911.

43. LEWIS CROSS[5] (John R.,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 11, 1849, at Bevier, Mo.; m. (1) Betsey Cross who lived only a year after marriage, m. (2) Mar. 17, 1872, Julia Franklin Denny, b. Apr. 20, 1856 ,in Wayne Co., Ky., d. June 9, 1921, daughter of Linsey Denny, b. Apr. 26, 1831, and Louisa Hughes, b. Jan. 2, 1837. Address, Callao, Mo., R. # 3.

Children (Cross):

92. i. William Denton, b. Sept. 5, 1873, Bevier Mo.; m. Capitola Bell Stevens.
93. ii. John Linsey, b. July 3, 1876, Bevier, Mo.: m. Fannie Bolin.
94. iii. Velva Louise, b. Oct. 28, 1879, at Callao, Mo.; m. W. M. Denney.
iv. Harda Francis, b. Apr. 20, 1882, Bevier, Mo. Single.
95. v. Dan Oliver, b. Jan. 18, 1885, at Callao, Mo.; m. Mary Richards.
96. vi. Hugh H., b. Sept. 13, 1896, Callao, Mo.; m. Grace Herrin.

44. WILLIAM H. CROSS[5] (John R.,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 19, 1847, d. Jan. 18, 1918; m. Susan Johnson, d. May 25, 1909.

Children (Cross)—all born at Bevier, Mo.:

i. James, d.
ii. Laura, m. William Burns, d.
iii. John William, m. Amber Logan, d.
iv. Martin Lewis, d.
v. Edward, m. Nora Baker, d.
vi. Josie, d.
97. vii. David Lawrence, b. Mar. 11, 1876; m. Lizzeta Jones.

45. MARY FRANCES WINKLER[5] (Elizabeth,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 26, 1840, in Macon Co., Mo., d. Dec. 13, 1920; m. Royal McKenzie, b. Jan. 30, 1826, in Portage Co., Ohio, drafted as Union soldier in Civil War, d. Aug. 9, 1899, son of John McKenzie and Sally Vanetten of Portage Co., Ohio. Royal McKenzie m. (1) Laura Westover who was killed by a run away team.

Children (McKenzie)—all born near Bloomington, Mo.:

98. i. John Lewis, b. Oct. 9, 1870; m. Annie Margaret Fisher.
99. ii. Elmertie, b. Aug. 30, 1874; m. Obadiah Tate.
100. iii. Alice Ann, b. Nov. 12, 1875; m. George Adams.
iv. Aura, m. Mollie Patrick. They had three children, two are dead and one son, Edgar, about 29 years old, is living, address unknown. Aura is dead and his wife remarried.

46. LAVICA ELLEN WINKLER[5] (Elizabeth,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 4, 1857, d. Apr. 29, 1929; m. in 1880 in Macon Co., Mo., John Everett Skinner, b. Jan. 12, 1861, d. Mar. 2, 1930, son of Sydney Skinner and Nancy Smoot of Macon Co., Mo. After death of first wife J. E. Skinner m. (2) Lucy Sullivan.

Children (Skinner)—all born at Bevier, Mo.:

101. i. Charles Otis, b. May 4, 1882; m. Effie Ethel Frazier.
ii. Homer Lee, b. Apr. 12, 1892; m. Mar. 17, 1915, at Fayette, Mo., Fannie Frazier, b. Oct. 27, 1895, near Fayette, daughter of B. S. Frazier, b. 1856, m. 1885, Amanda Williams, b. 1866.
iii. Everett; m. Nola Warfield.

47. BELL SENEY WINKLER[5] (Elizabeth,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 17, 1862, in Macon Co., Mo., d. Sept. 21, 1917; m. Sept. 22, 1880, Blandy Smith Skinner, a farmer of Macon Co., Mo., b. Feb. 3, 1862, son of Gideon Skinner and Serba Elizabeth Smoot.

Children (Skinner)—all born in Macon Co., Mo.:

102. i. Vella, b. July 23, 1882; m. Charles Albert Slighton.
ii. Lucien, b. May 16, 1885; m. at Atlanta, Mo., May 12, 1915, Etta Simmons, b. Mar. 16, 1888, at Atlanta, Mo., daughter of Bloom Simmons, b. July 11, 1853, d. May 16, 1931; m. Mar. 19, 1876, in Macon, Mo., Ann Wilson, b. July 30, 1853, d. Apr. 12, 1897. Mr. Skinner is a barber living at Quinnesec, Mich.
iii. William, b. Oct. 15, 1887; m. Jessie Thompson.

48. WILLIAM H. CROSS[5] (William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. in 1845 in Macon Co., Mo., d. 1884; m. (1) Nancy Vickery by whom he had two daughters, Adeline and Tolbert, (Addie and Tollie); after the mother's death they were taken to Calif. where their families were reared. William Cross m. (2) Rebecca Stokes, d. in 1926, by whom he had three sons.

Children (Cross)—all born in Macon Co., Mo.:

103. i. Adeline Kellis, b. May 25, 1867; m. George Washington Ford.
ii. Tolbert (Tollie), m. Ellsworth E. Warner, living at Merced, Calif.
iii. Luther, b. June 15, 1879, d. Aug. 6, 1931; m. May 29, 1923, at Macon, Mo., Bessie Malone, daughter of John and Sarah Malone, farmer, Callao, Mo., R. # 1.

iv. Velpo, m. Pearl Cotter.
v. Earl, m. Mollie Summers. Address, Callao, Mo., R. # 2.

49. JOHN TAYLOR CROSS[5] (William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 1, 1848, d. Apr. 13, 1923; m. Nov. 24, 1870 in Iowa, Zella Caroline Stoddard, b. Mar. 26, 1853, d. Apr. 5, 1926, daughter of Asa Church Stoddard and Sarah Jane Cook of Farmington, Iowa.

Children (Cross)—all born at Callao, Mo.:

i. Mary Addela, b. Sept. 26, 1871; m. Carie Perrin, both dead. Had one child who later died.
104. ii. Lennie Viola, b. Apr. 8, 1875; m. George W. Perrin.
105. iii. Letha Leone, b. Jan. 26, 1877; m. Charles Elias Sleeth.
106. iv. William Asa, b. Jan. 10, 1879; m. Bettie Holland.
107. v. Thomas Emery, b. June 20, 1881; m. Irene Thomas.
108. vi. Ora Othel, b. July 23, 1884; m. Lola Bea Perrin.
109. vii. Albert Ray, b. Mar. 18, 1896; m. Flossie Gates.

50. GEORGE WASHINGTON CROSS[5] (William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 22, 1852, in Macon Co., Mo., d. July 31, 1908, buried at Mt. Zion Church three miles N. W. of Callao, Mo.; m. (1) Susie Nichols, b. Jan. 10, 1860, d. 1888, buried at Old Herron Church, daughter of James Nichols and Jane Olverson. Two children were born of this union and after her death he m., 1889 or 1890, (2) Martha Frances Cook, b. Jan. 15, 1865, at Callao, Mo., daughter of Leander Golson Cook and Betsy Ross Finney of Macon Co., d. June 29, 1902, buried at Mt. Zion Church.

Children (Cross):

110. i. Orbrey Lee, b. May 7, 1880, in Morrow Twp., Macon Co., Mo.; m. Lena Opal Wright.
ii. Clarence, b. 1882, d. 1884, buried at Old Herron Church, twenty miles from Callao, Mo.
111. iii. Marvin Franklin, b. Callao, Mo., Feb. 9, 1892; m. Nellie Mabel Thompson.

51. MARY ELIZABETH CROSS[5] (William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 14, 1855, d. Mar. 14, 1914; m. in Macon Co., Mo., Jan. 1873, James Allen Wright, b. Nov. 7, 1850, d. Sept. 19, 1929, son of Claborne and Amy (White) Wright, of Bloomfield, Iowa. After Claborne Wright's death his widow m. Henry Foshee.

Children (Wright)—all born in Macon Co., Mo.:

i. Amy Mercy, b. Feb. 19, 1875, d. 1913; m. James Lee Penton, son of Bill and Hermon Penton of Macon Co. One child, Amy Frances, b. June, 1913, lives at Callao, Mo., R. # 4.
112. ii. Emma Othel, b. Oct. 1, 1877; m. John Summers.

113. iii. Addie Ellen, b. Sept. 16, 1880; m. (1) George Tabor (2) William Forrest Rickman.
iv. Ruby Elizabeth, b. Dec. 21, 1886, d. infancy.
114. v. James Franklin (Frank), b. Dec. 8, 1892; m. (1) Grace Denny, (2) Eva Dixon.

Mrs. Summers of Kenosha who has her father's family Bible says: "Grandfather Cross was a blacksmith for the soldiers, and Grandfather Wright was in the war, and came home to see his sick child and they found him and took him out in the woods and killed him."

52. JAMES T. CROSS[5] (William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), d. Oct. 12, 1908; m. (1) Mary Burris, sister of Mattie (No. 54), daughter of Joseph Burris and Martha Webster, b. Feb. 15, 1858, d. Apr. 15, 1885. After her death Mr. Cross m. (2) Angeline Green.

Children (Cross)—born at Callao, Mo.:

115. i. Mollie, b. Dec. 4, 1879; m. Lloyd A. Hisle.
ii. Ben F., b. Feb. 27, 1882; m. (1) Rosa Burnham, (2) Viola Hulett.

53. RACHEL CROSS[5] (William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 24, 1858, d. Nov. 14, 1927; m. William Frank Hall, b. June 30, 1854, d. 1925, son of Jesse and Kizzie Hall.

Children (Hall)—all born near Callao, Mo.:

116. i. Jessie Mae, b. Aug. 3, 1878; m. George Hisle.
117. ii. Roy, b. Jan. 9, 1881; m. Molie Perrin.
118. iii. Gracie Bell, b. 1890; m. Jim Gates.
iv. Othal, b. Mar. 24, 1894; m. Earl James, no children. Address, 507 Cypress, Kansas City, Mo.

54. RICHARD CROSS[5] (William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 14, 1860, d. May 6, 1906; m. Dec. 18, 1879, Martha Jane (Mattie) Burris, d. May 30, 1931, daughter of Joseph Burris and Martha Webster and sister of Mary Burris (No. 52). After his death Mrs. Cross m. Richard Westlake.

Children (Cross)—all born in Macon Co., Mo.:

119. i. William Martin, b. Dec. 8, 1890; m. Hallie Finnell.
120. ii. Thomas Minor, b. Mar. 17, 1886; m. Ona Shockly.
iii. Joseph Wesley, b. July 11, 1891, lives at Bevier, Mo., Box 215.
iv. Wilbert Daniel, b. Apr. 10, 1895, d. Dec. 7, 1918, of flu at Waco, Texas, in Soldiers Training Camp. He was buried with military honors at College Mound, Mo., Rev. Samuel Johnson preached the funeral sermon. He married Annie Hamilton of Riverview.
v. Martha, b. May 23, 1899, d. Sept. 13, 1912, buried at College Mound.
vi. Mary Mercy, b. May 23, 1899, d. Feb. 13, 1910.

55. THOMAS TOLEMAN CROSS[5] (William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 2, 1866, on farm in Macon Co., Mo.; m. in 1888,

Taken near Bevier, Mo., Aug. 31, 1931; a group of Women and children taken, but many could not be identified. Numbers on placards failed to show in pictures.

James Wm. Cross and L. L. Cross (pp. 44 and 136) are the only living representatives of the 4th generation of the Cross family.

Read from left to right, beginning at bottom—

1st row: (1), Thomas T. Cross; (2), James William Cross; (3), Frank Wright; (4), James Rector; (5), Wm. Asa Cross; (6), L. R. Perrin; (7), Clinton Cross; (8), Thomas Mathis; (9), J. Newton Cross; (10), Roy Tate.

2nd row: (1), Mrs. .Obe Tate; (2)-up, John McKenzie; (3), Mrs. William Winkler; (4), Mrs. Clyde Skinner; (5)-up, Mrs. John McKenzie; (6), Mrs. Eliza Smith; (7), Earl Cross; (8), Mrs. Oliver (Nellie) Vestal; (9), Mrs. Otis Skinner; (10), Frank Cross; (11)-down, George Perrin; (12)-up, Joseph Cross; (13)-down, J. L. Penton; (14)-up, Ernest Reynolds; (15)-down, Lloyd Hisle; (16)-up, vest, Lewis Cross; (17), Chas. L. Stevens; (18), Jay B. Mendenhall.

3rd row: (1), Obe Tate; (2), Harvey Ratliff; (3), Ernest Winkler; (4)-down, Mrs. Earl Cross; (5)-up, Oliver Vestal; (6)-down, white hat, Mrs. Tersey Winkler; (7)-up, black hat, Mrs. Frank E. Cross; (8)-down, black dress, Mrs. Otho L. Stevens; (9)-up, black hat, Mrs. Kate Mullinax; (10)-down, Mrs. Chas. H. Stevens; (11)-dark coat, Otho L. Stevens; (12), Glen Cross.

4th row: (1), Mrs. R. A. Woods; (2), William D. Cross; (3), Mrs. Roy Tate; (4)-nearly hidden, Mrs. Ben F. Cross; (5), George Oldham.

5th row: (1), Mrs. Elbert Tate; (2), Elbert Tate; (3), Albert Baker; (4)-up, Albert Taylor; (5)-down, Hugh Cross; (6)-dark coat, Elmer F. Cross.

(If mistakes are found, correct in ink.)

Lou Birdie Rice, b. in 1869, by whom he had two children. After her death from tuberculosis Feb. 29, 1892, he m. Dec. 4, 1894, Annie Cook, b. June 8, 1877, d. Mar. 7, 1928, daughter of Golce Cook, a Union soldier in the Civil War, and Betty Roberts. Mr. Cross was converted at the age of sixteen and is a minister in the Holiness Church, giving his life in service to others. Address, Box 332, Bevier Mo.

Children (Cross):

i. Toleman, b. 1889, d. 1896.
ii. Edith, b. 1891, d. 1892.
iii. Homer Dee, b. 1896, at Callao, Mo., d. June 13, 1915, from effects of an injury in the mines received in 1913 at Carterville, Mo., buried at College Mound, Mo.
121. iv. Ruth Naomia, b. Mar. 6, 1898, at Callao, Mo.; m. Marvin Campbell.
122. v. Stanley Gail, b. Mar. 19, 1900, at Callao, Mo.; m. Helen Terrell of Macon, Mo.
123. vi. Clinton V., b. Feb. 12, 1902, at College Mound, Mo.; m. Mary Tuttle.
vii. Carl William, b. Sept. 8, 1904, at College Mound, Mo.; m. Sept. 4, 1923, Mabel Tyson. They live at 1243 Draper St., Chicago, Ill., where he works in the National Biscuit factory.
viii. Hazel Marie, b. Aug. 10, 1911, at Carterville, Mo. Lives with her brother, Carl, in Chicago.
ix. Paul Glen, b. July 12, 1915, at Keota, Mo., lives at home.

56. WILLIAM JAMES CROSS[5] (Wright,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 15, 1854, in Macon Co., Mo., d. Aug. 11, 1929, m. Jan. 7, 1874, Martha Elizabeth Burnett, b. Jan. 18, 1854, daughter of Moses Burnett and Sarah Elizabeth Wright, d. Feb. 13, 1899.

Children (Cross):

i. Lizzie, b. and d. July 13, 1875, at Callao, Mo.
124. ii. Lee Roy, b. Jan. 11, 1877, at Callao, Mo.; m. Adra J. Gipson.
iii. James, b. Jan. 20, 1880, at Callao, Mo., d.
125. iv. Art, b. Sept. 20, 1883, at College Mound, Mo.; m. Frances Kinkade.
126. v. Mary, b. Oct. 16, 1887, at College Mound, Mo.; m. Merle Summers.
vi. Addie, b. Aug. 24, 1891, at College Mound, Mo., d.
vii. Charles, b. May 23, 1893, at College Mound, Mo.; m. Nov. 8, 1913, Esther Rector, b. Oct. 20, 1893. Address, Dodge City, Kansas.

57. THOMAS WILLIS CROSS[5] (Wright,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 4, 1860; m. July 15, 1888, Martha Jane Miles, b. Dec. 13, 1869, d. Jan. 4, 1916, daughter of Jacob D. Miles and Margaret Schetzley of Macon Co., Mo.

Children (Cross)—born at Callao, Mo.:

127. i. Frank Ellsworth, b. Sept. 15, 1891; m. Ruby Gertrude Perrin.

58. BETTIE ANN CROSS[5] (Wright,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 30, 1864; m. Mar. 13, 1884, W. T. Summers.

Children (Summers):

i. Emmett, Bevier, Mo.
ii. Minnie Florence, Moberly, Mo.
iii. Charley, Macon, Mo.
iv. Mabel, College Mound, Mo.

59. VIRGINIA FLORENCE CROSS[5] (Wright,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 14, 1866; m. Mar. 13, 1884, James D. Shoemaker, b. June 11, 1860, d. June 8, 1926, and buried at College Mound, Mo., son of Milton Shoemaker, a soldier in Civil War and Vina Jane Miller of Chariton Co., Mo., Mrs. J. D. Shoemaker lives with her daughter at Owensmouth, Calif.

Children (Shoemaker)—born at Callao, Mo.:

128. i. Emma, b. Apr. 7, 1886; m. Eddie Shipp.
129. ii. James E., b. July 15, 1894; m. Maggie Wylie.

60. JAMES WILLIAM MATHIS[5] (Samuel S.,[4] Nancy,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 15, 1877, in Macon Co., Mo.; m. Sept. 18, 1901, in Kansas City, Lettie Lena Hatfield, b. Aug. 17, 1881, in Macon Co., Mo., daughter of Isaac Hatfield, b. Dec. 17, 1855, and Cynthia Fraker, b. Nov. 25, 1856. Mr. Mathis is a farmer at Atlanta, Mo.

Children (Mathis)—all born in Macon Co., Mo.:

i. Orva Fern, b. Dec. 22, 1902; m. Jan. 5, 1926, at Macon, Mo., George Faught, b. July 9, 1903, son of Orval Faught, b. Aug. 14, 1872, and Mary Bell Blaine, b. Sept. 3, 1872. He is a farmer near LaPlata, Mo.
ii. Famis, b. Aug. 28, 1908.
iii. Anna Mae, b. June 30, 1911.
iv. Clarence, b. Dec. 11, 1914.
v. William, Jr., b. May 1, 1921.

61. DELLA VIOLA MATHIS[5] (Samuel S.,[4] Nancy,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 15, 1875, d. Apr. 30, 1905; m. Johnnie Johnston, b. in 1865.

Children (Johnston):

i. Ollie, m. Harvey Wilson, LaPlata, Mo.
ii. Alvie.
iii. Willie, Guymon, Okla.

62. JAMES T. MATHIS[5] (John C.,[4] Nancy,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 10, 1879, at Macon, Mo.; m. Dec. 24, 1899, Mora Scott, b. Jan. 1883, daughter of Jesse Scott and Dain Morris. Mr. Mathis has lived in Macon Co., Mo., all his life where he is a farmer and Justice of the Peace. Address, Atlanta, Mo.

Children (Mathis)—all born in Macon Co., Mo.:

130. i. Hazel Elma, b. Jan. 9, 1901; m. Ernest Gunnels.
131. ii. Daphne, b. June 30, 1903; m. Henry Howerton.
iii. Wilma, b. Aug. 21, 1911.
iv. Wendell, b. Jan. 14, 1913.

63. EVA LENA WILLIAMS[5] (Mary Louise,[4] Nancy,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 7, 1882, in Macon Co., Mo.; m. Apr. 16, 1905, at Caldwell, Kan., George Matson Story, b. Nov. 20, 1855, in Ky., son of J. F. Story, b. Aug. 10, 1811, and Zarilda Emerine Poindexter, b. Sept. 16, 1816. Mr. Story was a farmer at Gage, Okla., many years, now resides at Howard, Kan.

Children (Story):

i. Hazel Louise, b. May 24, 1906, at Renfrow, Okla. Attended State Teachers College at Alva, Okla. Teaches school.
ii. Gladys E., b. Feb. 4, 1908, at Gage, Okla.
iii. George, b. Jan. 14, 1910, at Gage, Okla., d. July 28, 1917, buried at Gage, Okla.
iv. James Franklin, b. Sept. 10, 1915, at Gage, Okla.
v. Infant, b. Feb. 22, 1917, d. Feb. 26, 1917.
vi. William Wayne, b. Apr. 3, 1918, at Gage, Okla.

64. ORVAL CLINTON WILLIAMS[5] (Mary Louise,[4] Nancy,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 5, 1884, in Macon Co., Mo.; m. June 20, 1909, at Caldwell, Kan., Trella Eunice Bealmer, b. Jan. 23, 1888, at Atlanta, Mo., daughter of William Maxey Bealmer, b. Nov. 1, 1862, and Mary Louise Frances Lyda, b. June 5, 1868. Mr. Williams is a farmer living at Gage, Okla.

Children (Williams):

i. Clinton Everett, b. Dec. 2, 1910, at Gage, Okla.
ii. Faye Zillah, b. July 24, 1912, at Gage, Okla.
iii. Alta Gladys, b. Mar. 26, 1917, at Gage, Okla.
iv. Eva Pearl, b. Aug. 31, 1923, at Marland, Okla., d. Sept. 1, 1923.

65. CHARLES ARTHUR CROSS[5] (James William,[4] Vachel,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 5, 1872; m. May 30, 1905, Clella Powell, b. Jan. 18, 1879, daughter of Peter Polk Powell and Mary Frances Stone. Address, Macon, Mo. R. # 6.

Children (Cross)—born Macon Co., Mo., R. # 6:

i. Esther Frances, b. July 8, 1906; m. July 4, 1919, at Macon, Mo., Adolph Harold Will, b. Mar. 12, 1906, son of Otto Will and Lena Froning. Mrs. Will attended Chillicothe Business College and Mr. Will attended the Coyne Electrical School at Chicago, Ill. She is a

stenographer and bookkeeper with the Reichel Motor Supply Co. at Macon, Mo.

ii. Sina Lucille, b. Nov. 23, 1907. Graduated as a nurse Sept. 1930. Address, Laughlin Hospital, Kirksville, Mo.

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66. LULU HARRIS CROSS[6] (John Newton,[5] William B.,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 6, 1877, in Audrain Co., Mo., educated in the Mexico, Mo. Schools; m. May 5, 1898, by Rev. Fielding Marvin to Edwin Hanson Morris, b. at Mexico, Mo., Dec. 23, 1868. He is the son of Pleasant Miller Morris, b. July 1, 1834, d. Dec. 26, 1914, and Sarah Cook Fish, b. Mar. 2, 1844, and d. Nov. 1909, grandson of Willis Morris of Morgan Co., east Tenn., b. June 14, 1805, d. Oct. 7, 1870, and Nancy Hanks, b. Dec. 30, 1812, d. Mar. 17, 1901; also grandson of Nathaniel Little Fish, b. Dec. 6, 1817, in Pembroke, Mass., and Ann Rebecca Cunningham, b. in Hardy Co., W. Va., Dec. 1, 1820. Nathaniel Fish was the son of Job Fish, b. June 11, 1784, and Lydia T. Cook, b. Nov. 10, 1786. Ann Rebecca Cunningham was the daughter of William Cunningham, b. Apr. 8, 1788, in Hardy Co., W. Va., and Sallie Van Meter, b. Sept. 8, 1791. Mr. Morris lived at Butte, Mont., and Stockton, Calif., before moving to Modesto where for years he was proprietor of the Morris Bros. Book Store. He retired from active business and was later part owner of the Modesto Herald. After selling out his interest in this he became actively engaged in ranching near Modesto.

Mrs. Morris died Mar. 6, 1927, on her fiftieth birthday. A paragraph from her obituary written by her pastor at Modesto, Rev. R. C. Cantrell, follows:

"From earliest childhood her gentle and helpful spirit was apparent to all who knew her. Early she knew and revealed a steadfast love for the pure and good and beautiful, and this love manifested itself throughout her whole life. Since early childhood she was a Christian and a member of the church."

On May 23, 1928, at Eldon, Mo., Mr. Morris m. (2) Mrs. Nell Davis. They now live at 204 Sycamore Ave., Modesto, Calif.

Children (Morris):

i. Edwin Hanson, Jr., b. Oct. 18, 1901, at Stockton, Calif., graduated from Modesto High School and University of Calif. in 1924. Address, Berkeley, Calif.

ii. Ray Cross, b. Jan. 11, 1903, in Stockton, Calif., d. Aug. 2, 1906, buried at Modesto, Calif.

iii. Joseph Newton, b. Feb. 22, 1905, in Stockton, Calif., graduated from Modesto High School and University of Calif. in 1927. Forest Ranger in Yosemite Valley.

iv. Marvin Cross, b. Aug. 9, 1910, in Modesto, Calif. Graduate of Modesto High School and student at University of Calif.

67. ANNIE HELEN CROSS[6] (John Newton,[5] William B.,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 13, 1878, in Audrain Co., Mo., graduated in 1896 as Salutatorian from the Mexico High School, then specialized in Music and Art, with work at Hardin College, U. of Mo., and one summer at Chicago University. Supervisor of Music in the St. Charles and Columbia, Mo., schools. Later she moved to Calif. with her parents where she devoted her time to teaching vocal and instrumental music.

On Dec. 20, 1910, at Ceres, Calif, she married Charles Henry Caswell, b. July 23, 1876, in Cherokee, Iowa. The ceremony was performed by an uncle, Rev. A. K. Caswell. Mr. Caswell is a manufacturer and rancher and very active in community affairs. He lives on a large ranch near Modesto, Calif., R. # 4.

The Caswell family came from Canada, and is of Scotch and English parentage, although coming from Ireland. The name Caswell is derived from Casa-wallonis, a warrior of Normandy. **The mother of Thomas Caswell** was named Wallace, of the family of the famous Wallaces of Scotland. The older Caswell family went from England in early days to North Ireland as missionaries.

Henry Caswell is the son of Thomas Caswell and Mary Orinda Andrews, grandson of Andrew Caswell and Mary Dickson, also of Richard Andrews and Jane Davidson. In "The Andrews Family," a Genealogical Biography of Charles E. and Mary Clark Andrews, the following facts are given:

This Richard Andrews was born Jan. 4, 1797, at West Stockbridge, Mass., d. Dec. 12, 1886; m. Jane Davidson, b. Mar. 3, 1816, d. Feb. 10, 1895, daughter of Israel Davidson and Martha Van Houten, b. 1785, d, 1856, and granddaughter of John Davidson and wife Mariah.

The parents of this Richard Andrews were: Theodore Andrews, b. 1765, d. 1850, and Orinda Bosworth, b. 1767, died at 92.

The parents of Theodore Andrews were: Joshua Andrews, b. Dec. 11, 1707, d. 1786, and Sibyl Stoddard, b. 1705, d. 1785.

The parents of Joshua Andrews were: Joseph Andrews, Jr., b. 1678, d. 1756, and Sarah Curtiss, d. 1760.

The parents of Joseph Andrews, Jr., were: Joseph Andrews, b. May 26, 1651, d. 1706, and Rebekah ————.

The parents of Joseph Andrews were: John and Mary Andrews, emigrants from Essex Co., England to Conn. in 1640; he died in 1643, she in 1694.

Children (Caswell):

i. Earl William, b. Sept. 30, 1911, at Ceres, Calif. Graduated from Modesto High School, student at Leland-Stanford.
ii. Mary Olivia, b. Feb. 6, 1914, near Modesto, Calif., attends Junior College.
iii. Ruth Helen, b. Apr. 10, 1916, near Modesto, Calif., attends Modesto High School.
iv. Edith Elaine, b. Nov. 10, 1920, at Cherokee, Iowa.

68. MARY THOMPSON CROSS[6] (John Newton,[5] William B.,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 22, 1884, at Laddonia, Mo., graduated from Mexico High School as valedictorian in 1902, taught school, attended one semester at Warrensburg Normal School, graduated from U. of Mo. in 1908, taught in Mo. and Calif. Then on June 11, 1910, at Columbia, Mo., was married by Rev. C. M. Bishop to Redmond Selecman Cole, b. Aug. 22, 1881 in Andrew Co., Mo.

Mr. Cole is the son of James Buchanan Cole, b. 1856, living at Columbia, Mo., and Virginia Lee Bedford (1860-1926). On paternal side he is a descendant of James Cole, who came to New England from near London in 1632. On his maternal side he is descendant of Henry Selecman, German emigrant who came to America in 1765, and of Stephen Bedford, who was a colonial officer of Cumberland Co., Va., who died in 1758. Redmond S. Cole was educated at the Kirksville, Mo., Normal, and at the University of Mo., holding degrees of A. B. and A. M. in that institution, admitted to the bar in Mo. in Jan., 1909, located in Pawnee, Okla., for practice of law, Apr., 1909. Co. Attorney of Pawnee, Co., 1910-15; Mayor of Pawnee, 1917; Co. Registrar, Pawnee Co., 1916-17; Assistant U. S. Dist. Atty., Western Dist. Okla., 1917-19; Judge of 21st Judicial Dist. of Okla., 1919-23, when he retired from political life and has since engaged in corporation practice. (See Who's Who in America.)

After living at Pawnee from 1910 until 1923, except for two and a half years in Oklahoma City, Mr. Cole and family moved to Tulsa where they now reside at 1312 South Owasso.

Children (Cole)—born in Pawnee, Okla.:

i. Olivia Harris, b. June 27, 1913, was graduated from Tulsa High School, 1931.
ii. Virginia Bedford, b. Nov. 10, 1919.

69. WILLIAM THOMAS CROSS[6] (John Newton,[5] William B.,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 1, 1887, in Audrain Co., Mo. On Aug. 22, 1919, near Lexington, Ky., he married Dorothy Hawkins Embry, b. Aug. 7, 1888, near Lexington, Ky., daughter of John B. Embry and Nancy Jewell. She obtained her early education in the

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local schools of Lexington, was prepared for college at the Baldwin School, Bryn Mawr, Pa., and graduated at Vassar College, received her masters degree at Stanford University in 1931. During the World War she was in charge of home service in camp for the Southern Division of the American Red Cross. She has published several studies in the field of social science.

Mr. Cross is a graduate of the Mexico Mo., High School (valedictorian) and also of the University of Mo. from which he received the M. A. degree in 1909, and membership in Phi Beta Kappa honorary society. He has been instructor in social sciences at the U. of Mo. and the U. of Chicago, Secretary of Mo. State Board of Charities and Corrections, 1909-13; General Secretary, National Conference of Social Work, 1913-20; Survey Officer for Physically Handicapped, Ill. Dept. Public Welfare, 1920-21; member Ill. Reserve Militia, 1918-19 (Corporal). Now Asst. Vice-President, Bank of Italy, Head Office, San Francisco. Res., 1005 University Ave., Palo Alto, Calif. (See Who's Who in America, 1925, and previous editions.) Published various articles on social work and on banking subjects.

Children (Cross):

i. Nancy Jewell, b. June 4, 1920.
ii. Olivia Valentine, b. Dec. 28, 1922.
iii. Mariamne, b. Aug. 14, 1924.

70. MARY (MAMIE) JUDITH MARTIN[6] (Susan C.,[5] William B.,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 27, 1874, in Randolph Co., Mo.; m. (1) Sept. 28, 1892, at Clark, Mo., Theodore Bartee, b. Feb. 26, 1873, in Randolph Co., Mo., son of Joseph Bartee and Eliza J. Lay; m. (2) May 29, 1904, at Moberly, Mo., J. C. Gallup; m. (3) at Pineville, Mo., Sept. 19, 1907, Charles Henry Hays; m. (4) at Carthage, Mo., Jan. 8, 1921, G. V. Lewis. Mrs. Lewis now lives at 605 E. Oak St., Columbus, Kan., with her youngest son.

Children (Bartee-Gallup):

i. Alta Bartee, b. Aug. 13, 1894, in Randolph Co., d. Dec. 4, 1896, buried in New Hope Cemetery, Randolph Co.
ii. Flora Bartee, b. Mar. 18, 1899, in Randolph Co., Mo.; m. in Columbus, Kan., Feb. 12, 1916, George Stephen Conard, b. Jan. 25, 1896, in Cherokee Co., Kan., son of Stephen Henry Conard, b. Apr. 17, 1841, in Loudon Co., Va., and Alice Mae Shoemaker, b. Aug. 6, 1860, in Loudon Co., Va. He is a farmer living at Chetopa, Kan., R. # 2. They have the following children:
George Verl, b. Nov. 22, 1918, at Columbus, Kan.
Henry Dale, b. Oct. 9, 1921, at Chetopa, Kan.
Mary Virginia, b. June 27, 1923, at Chetopa, Kan.
Mildred Mae, b. July 22, 1926, at Chetopa, Kan.
Raymond Dean, b. Feb. 4, 1929, at Chetopa, Kan.

iii. Presly Bartee, b. Aug. 5, 1900, in Randolph Co., Mo., m. Marie Davis in 1921.
iv. Lorenzo Dow Gallup, b. Mar. 30, 1905, in McDonald Co., Mo. Address, Columbus, Kansas.

71. VIOLA (OLA) TRUE MARTIN[6] (Susan C.,[5] William B.,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 1, 1877, in Randolph Co., Mo.; m. Dec. 4, 1901, Roy Oldham, b. Mar. 4, 1877, in Randolph Co., son of George Oldham, a farmer near Renick, Mo., and Evaline Wirt, grandson of Richard and Julia Oldham, and of Johnnie Wirt and Sally Grubbs. Mr. Oldham is a farmer near Moberly, Mo., R. # 5.

Children (Oldham):

i. George Preston, b. Sept. 18, 1905, at Elliott, Mo.; m. Nov. 28, 1928, Stella Pearl Brooks, of Clark, Mo., in Moberly, by Rev. Kimbrell. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brooks of Macedonia neighborhood in Audrain Co. One child, Evelyn Louise was b. Oct. 5, 1930.
ii. Grace O., b. June 13, 1907, near Moberly, Mo., d. Jan. 16, 1908, buried in New Hope Cemetery.
iii. Infant, b. Nov., 1915, at Clark, Mo., d. ——, buried in New Hope Cemetery.

72. ONIE OSCAR MARTIN[6] (Susan C.,[5] William B.,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 17, 1884, in Adair Co., Mo.; m. (1) Feb. 22, 1904, at Harrington, Mo., Hattie Almira Patrick (now Mrs. Herley Miller of Craig, Neb.), b. Oct. 28, 1882, daughter of John Wesley Patrick and A. Ellen Williams of Burt Co., Neb. Mr. Martin married a second time and lives at El Paso, Texas, General Delivery.

Children (Martin):

i. Floyd Wesley, b. Sept. 21, 1906, at Clark, Mo., d. Sept. 17, 1915.
ii. Lula Nadine, b. Apr. 21, 1909, at Anderson, Mo.; m. July 11, 1924, at Onawa, Iowa, John Clinton Simpson, b. Aug. 30, 1902, at Orla, Mo., son of William Isaiah Simpson and Laura Wrinkle, of Laclede Co., Mo. Mr. Simpson is a farmer at Decatur, Neb. Their children are: Kathryn Louise, b. Nov. 16, 1925, at Tekamah, Neb. and Raymond Howard, b. Mar. 7, 1928, at Decatur, Neb.
iii. Fred Raymond, b. Apr. 7, 1911, at Renick, Mo. Address, Mare Island, Calif.

73. MAURICE WILLIAM THRAILKILL[6] (Sarah Cornelia (Nelia),[5] William B.,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 24, 1894, in Randolph Co., Mo.; d. Sept. 6, 1927, and buried in Portland, Ore.; m. June 19, 1917, at Vancouver, Wash. Mary Alice Parkin, b. June 4, 1898, in England, daughter of James Parkin and Anna Shaw, of England. Since Mr. Thrailkill's death his widow m. Alfred Shaw and lives in Portland with the children.

Children (Thrailkill)—all born in Portland, Ore.:

i. Gertrude Alice, b. Mar. 23, 1918.
ii. Maurice William, b. Dec. 8, 1919.
iii. Mary Josephine, b. Apr. 24, 1921.

74. IRENE MARY THRAILKILL[6] (Sarah Cornelia (Nelia),[5] William B.,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 3, 1896, in Randolph Co., Mo.; m. Jan. 24, 1915, Melville C. Shores, b. Sept. 2, 1897, in Audrain Co., Mo., son of W. J. Shores, b. Feb. 2, 1871, and Lula Jane Sims, b. Nov. 10, 1873, grandson of William Shores and Via Stogdale, and great grandson of William Shores and Susan Rice Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Shores attended the Kirksville State Normal School. Mr. Shores is a farmer near Clark, Mo.

Children (Shores)—all born near Clark, Mo.:

i. Lula Christine, b. Apr. 17, 1916.
ii. William LaVerne, b. Feb. 18, 1918.
iii. Sarah Pauline, b. June 14, 1927.
iv. Melville Eugene, b. Aug. 12, 1929.

75. LUCY NELLE CARR[6] (Cassie Lue,[5] George,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 20, 1895, in Boone Co., Mo.; m. June 29, 1919, at Kirksville, Mo., Robert Lee Alexander, b. Jan. 31, 1893, in Boone Co., Mo., son of Jim Alexander, b. July 18, 1844, and Nancy Alice Riley, b. Mar. 26, 1859. They both attended the State Teachers College at Kirksville, Mo. Mr. Alexander is a minister in the Baptist Church. Address, Fayette, Mo.

Children (Alexander):

i. Doris Virginia, b. Jan. 8, 1922, at Clark, Mo.
ii. James Paul, b. Apr. 15, 1929, at Fayette, Mo.

76. JOHN FREDERICK (FRED) CROSS[6] (John,[5] John,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 13, 1883, at Salisbury, Mo.; m. Dec. 18, 1917, at Little Rock, Ark., Helen Gertrude Peters, b. Sept. 5, 1900, at Hot Springs, Ark., daughter of Albert Merlin Peters, b. Nov. 17, 1878, and May Doherty, b. May 5, 1883. Mr. Cross is a salesman living at 715 Malvern Ave., Hot Springs, Ark.

Children (Cross):

i. John Frederick, b. Sept. 7, 1919.
ii. Mary Helen, b. June 7, 1921.
iii. Charles Thomas, b. June 9, 1924.

77. GLADYS ELLA CROSS[6] (John,[5] John,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 3, 1890, at Clark, Mo.; m. Jan. 10, 1910, at Mexico,

Mo., Thomas Clay Miller, b. May 19, 1888, at Sturgeon, Mo., son of Deither Miller and Nancy Ellen Malone, attended Christian Brothers College and Gem City Business College. Mrs. Miller d. suddenly after an operation, Aug., 1930, and was buried at Centralia, Mo.

Children (Miller)—born at Sturgeon, Mo.:

i. Clay Ellsworth, b. Jan. 24, 1915.
ii. John Deither, b. Dec. 12, 1917.

78. JENNIE MARGUERITE CROSS[6] (John,[5] John (Jack),[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 26, 1893, at Clark, Mo.; m. June 13, 1913, at Mexico, Mo., Conrad Lee Robinson, b. Oct. 29, 1891, at Harrisburg, Mo., son of R. L. Robinson, b. Aug. 17, 1855 and Lyda Given, b. Mar. 28, 1872, attended William Jewell College at Liberty, Mo. Address, Marshall, Mo.

Children (Robinson):

i. Dorothy, b. Aug. 22, 1915, at Sturgeon, Mo.
ii. Robert Lee, b. Jan. 31, 1926, at Mexico, Mo.

79. SCOTTIE KNOX[6] (Virginia,[5] John,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 7, 1883, in Randolph Co., Mo.; m. Nov. 29, 1905, in Randolph Co., William Irvin Westlake, b. Jan. 6, 1875, in Boone Co., Mo., son of Richard Westlake, b. Nov. 23, 1847, d. July 23, 1923, and Frances Long, b. May, 1846, d. Feb. 2, 1882. Mrs. Westlake attended Central College at Fayette, Mo., and her husband, McGee College at College Mound, Mo. He is a merchant and farmer residing at Huntsville, Mo.

Children (Westlake)—born at Huntsville, Mo.:

i. Francis Knox, b. Feb. 14, 1915.
ii. Martha Will, b. Dec. 12, 1923.

80. JOHN THOMAS KNOX[6] (Virginia,[5] John,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 31, 1885, in Randolph Co., Mo.; m. Anna Sears who died in 1909, daughter of Rev. P. F. Sears, a Baptist minister, and Mattie Carney.

Children (Knox)—born at Clifton Hill, Mo.:

i. Charles Knox, b. Oct. 26, 1907; lives at Huntsville, Mo.

81. ARCHIE DOYLE KNOX[6] (Virginia,[5] John,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 4, 1895, in Randolph Co., Mo.; m. Leola Cunningham. Address, Clifton Hill.

Children (Knox)—born in Randolph Co.:

i. Howard, b. Nov. 24, 1917.
ii. William Archie, b. 1926.

82. LEE REDMAN CROSS[6] (Leighton,[5] John,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 27, 1891, at Chraneville, Mo.; m. in 1914, at Granite City, Ill., Dessa Dell Weldon, b. Mar. 17, 1887, at Roanoke, Mo., daughter of Warren Weldon and Fannie Patton, b. 1863. Mr. Cross works in Steel Foundry on finishing. Address, 1310 18th St., Granite City, Ill.

Children (Cross):

i. Leroy, b. Dec. 29, 1920, at St. Louis, Mo.

83. FLEETA MAE CROSS[6] (Leighton,[5] John,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 9, 1893; m. July 3, 1915, at Belleville, Ill., Robert Montgomery Kenney, b. Apr. 17, 1888 at Swanevick, Ill., son of James A. Kenney, b. Dec. 7, 1861, and Anna E. Montgomery, b. July 20, 1862. Mr. Kenney is a salesman living at 647 Leva St., Hillsboro, Ill.

Children (Kenney)—born at Hillsboro, Ill.:

i. Amadel, b. July 30, 1916.
ii. James Robert, b. Aug. 24, 1921.

84. GEORGE KNOX CROSS[6] (Leighton,[5] John,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 9, 1895, at Chraneville, Mo.; m. Dec. 24, 1916, at Huntsville, Mo., Lucile Musick, b. June 26, 1892, at Huntsville, Mo., daughter of William E. Musick, b. May 8, 1867, and Annie Lewis, b. Apr. 3, 1865. Mr. Cross is a farmer at Huntsville, Mo.

Children (Cross)—all born at Huntsville, Mo.:

i. James Donnie, b. Oct. 4, 1917.
ii. William Leighton, b. Jan. 1, 1919.
iii. Eleanor Nadine, b. Jan. 14, 1922.
iv. Knox Eugene, b. Jan. 14, 1922.

85. JOHN LEIGHTON CROSS[6] (Leighton,[5] John,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 13, 1897, at Chraneville, Mo.; m. May 26, 1918, at Salem, Mo. Nellie Eunice Pace, b. Sept. 16, 1896, at Salem, Mo., daughter of Denks Pace, b. Aug. 23, 1863 and Mary Watson, b. May 27, 1863, a moulder living at 2400 Logan St., Granite City, Ill.

Children (Cross)—all born in Granite City, Ill.:

i. Minnie Elizabeth, b. Jan. 18, 1919.
ii. Oma Ressa, b. Jan. 15, 1921.
iii. Evelyn Charlotte, b. Aug. 29, 1923.
iv. Dencie Leighton, b. June 30, 1929.

86. CLAUDE HARRISON BROWN[6] (Lucy,[5] Harrison,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 5, 1897, at Stratford, Okla.; m. LeNoir Bowles, b. July 29, 1900, at Ada, Okla., daughter of Charley Tinsley Bowles b. June 20, 1855 and Sallie LeNoir Polk, b. July 11, 1862. Mr. and Mrs. Brown both attended the East Central State Teachers College at Ada, Okla. He served in the U. S. Navy in 1918 at Mare Island, Calif. He is a teacher and resides at Konowa, Okla.

Children (Brown)—born at Ada, Okla.:

i. Claude H., Jr., b. Mar. 20, 1927.

87. FANNIE ENOLA BROWN[6] (Lucy,[5] Harrison,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 16, 1899, at Stratford, Okla., attended the East Central Teachers College at Ada, Okla.; m. (1) Jan. 17, 1919, at Holdenville, Okla., John Grady Hardcastle, b. Apr. 21, 1897, son of Moses Hardcastle, b. in 1857 in Tenn., and Mollie Farmer, b. in 1859 in Mo. He was a tool dresser and served as a soldier in the World War, 36 Inf., from May, 1917, to Feb. 27, 1919. He was wounded Sept. 29, 1918, in the Meuse-Argonne Battle.

On Feb. 24, 1925, at Holdenville, Okla., Mrs. Hardcastle m. (2) Willie Moody, b. at Hart, Okla., Nov. 28, 1899, son of Will Moody, b. Apr. 14, 1874, at Panola, Minn., and Maggie Vineyard, b. Sept. 25, 1875, at Fort Worth, Texas. Mr. Moody is a farmer near Holdenville, Okla.

Children (Hardcastle):

i. Dorothy Helen, b. Apr. 3, 1920.

88. JOSEPHINE FRANCES SWETNAM[6] (Sallie Ann,[5] Sally Ann,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 30, 1891, at Armstrong, Mo.; m. Oct. 8, 1912, at Moberly, Mo., Walker Casper, b. Dec. 6, 1890, in Queen City, Mo., son of Joseph Taylor Casper, b. Apr. 1, 1847; m. in 1888, in Lancaster, Ohio, Anna Hays, b. Oct. 16, 1855. Mr. and Mrs. Casper both attended the Teachers College at Kirksville, Mo. For several years he was manager of the Clark Lumber Co., at Bartlesville, Okla.; then he managed the yard at Humboldt, Kan.; at present he is bookkeeper at the Elevator Mills in Humboldt, Kan.

Children (Casper):

i. Marjorie, b. Jan. 1, 1916, in Queen City, Mo.
ii. Kenneth, b. Dec. 29. 1917, in Armstrong, Mo.

89. MARY LOUISE BEACH[6] (Sallie Ann,[5] Sally Ann,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 11, 1900, in Howard Co., Mo.; m. Nov. 26, 1919, at Fayette, Mo., Bennie Lay, son of William Franklin Lay, who d. Apr. 28, 1928, and Dora Jordan of Howard Co., Mo. Mrs. Lay attended the Kirksville Normal School; Mr. Lay was in the army, World War, five months, machine gun battalion, now he is farming near Fayette, Mo., R. # 7.

Children (Lay):

i. Ruth, b. June 6, 1921, at Armstrong, Mo.
ii. Frances Louise, b. Oct. 8, 1930, at Fayette, Mo.

90. WALTER SCOTT BEACH[6] (Sallie Ann,[5] Sally Ann,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 29, 1905, in Howard Co., Mo.; m. Elizabeth Copeland, daughter of Samuel Copeland, b. Jan. 8, 1872, and Catherine Doan who d. June 21, 1925. Address, Armstrong, Mo.

Children (Beach)—born at Armstrong, Mo.:

i. Billie Gene, b. Feb. 17, 1930.
ii. Bobbie Joe, b. Mar. 6, 1931.

91. MELVIN LEE KIRBY[6] (Francis Marion,[5] Sally Ann,[4] John,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 23, 1899, in Howard Co., Mo.; m. Dec. 22, 1925, at Fayette, Mo., Irene Brooks, b. Aug. 17, 1907, in Howard Co., Mo., daughter of Frank Brooks, b. June 29, 1877, and Effie Burks, b. Mar. 30, 1885. He served in the S. A. T. C. branch of the army and attended the State Teachers College at Kirksville, Mo. He is a farmer residing near Armstrong, Mo.

Children (Kirby)—born at Armstrong, Mo.:

i. Ruth Vivian, b. Sept. 18, 1926.
ii. David, b. Nov. 12, 1927.
iii. Edwin Lee, b. Nov. 1, 1929.

92. WILLIAM DENTON CROSS[6] (Lewis,[5] John R.,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 5, 1873, at Bevier, Mo.; m. Feb. 28, 1894, at Bevier, Capitola Bell Stevens, b. in Indiana, Mar. 3, 1873. Address, Bevier, Mo., R. # 1.

Children (Cross):

i. Gladys, m. James Rector, Bevier, Mo., R. # 1.
ii. Ernie Ellen, m. Jay Mendenhall, Bucklin, Mo.

93. JOHN LINSEY CROSS[6] (Lewis,[5] John R.,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 3, 1876, at Bevier, Mo.; m. at Macon, Mo.,

Jan. 18, 1899, Fannie S. Bolin, b. Jan. 18, 1883, in Shelby Co., Mo., daughter of Mack M. Bolin, b. Sept. 28, 1849, m. Nov. 5, 1868, in Indiana, Alice Griffith, b. Aug. 15, 1852, d. Oct. 11, 1923. Mr. Cross is a coal miner living at Roundup, Mont. Box 345. All of his children are living in Roundup, Mont.

Children (Cross):

i. Clyde F., b. Sept. 24, 1900, at Brookfield, Mo.; m. June 8, 1918, at New Cambria, Mo., Carrie E. O'Daniel, b. Mar. 23, 1901, daughter of J. H. O'Daniel, b. Feb. 25, 1867; m. June 25, 1887, Ellen James, b. Apr. 22, 1872, in Macon Co., Mo. Mr. Cross is a miner living at Roundup, Mont. P. O. Box 192. Children: all born in Roundup.
   Mildred L., b. Oct. 6, 1919.
   Ruby E., b. Apr. 19, 1921.
   Juanita P., b. Mar. 12, 1923, d. May 7, 1923.
   Carrie Helen, b. Apr. 21, 1924.
   Norma Lee, b. Aug. 21, 1926.
   Floyd Merle, b. Dec. 30, 1927.

ii. Lee O., b. Oct. 14, 1903, at Bevier, Mo.; m. Sept. 24, 1921, at Butte, Mont., Catherine Oneill, b. Dec. 25, 1906, at Butte, Mont., daughter of Michael Oneill. He is a miner at Roundup, Mont., P. O. Box 345. His children are:
   Leona Mae, b. Apr. 3, 1923.
   Geraldine, b. Sept. 24, 1924, d. Nov. 4, 1924.

iii. Lucile, b. May 11, 1905, at Brookfield, Mo., d. in infancy.

iv. Della M., b. Apr. 3, 1907, at New Cambria, Mo.; m. Feb. 28, 1925, at Roundup, Mont., Charles Henry Cain, b. Sept. 3, 1903, in Howard City, Mich., son of John Cain, d. Oct. 19, 1929, and Della Lent, b. Dec. 15, 1870; m. in Croton, Mich., and lived in Nemaygo Co. Mr Cain is a miner at Roundup, Mont. They have one son, Clinton L. .

v. Nellie L., b. Jan. 8, 1912, at New Cambria, Mo.

vi. Virgil, b. Jan. 15, 1917, at New Cambria, Mo.

94. VELVA LOUISE CROSS[6] (Lewis,[5] John R.,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 28, 1879, at Callao, Mo.; m. at Macon, Mo., Mar. 2, 1898, William M. Denney, b. Jan. 30, 1873, in Wayne Co., Ky. He is a farmer living at New Cambria, Mo.

Children (Denney):

i. Raleigh Henry, b. Oct. 30, 1899, at Bevier, Mo., d. Feb. 24, 1903.

ii. Flossie Miriam, b. June 26, 1901, at Bevier, Mo.; m. Sept. 16, 1919, at Macon, Mo., Lewis M. McElhaney (served overseas in World War). Children: Dorothy Helene, b. Dec. 1, 1920, Doris Nadine, b. Oct. 30, 1922, Raymond Ordell, b. Jan. 8, 1925, Darlean Bernice, b. Jan. 25, 1928, Delora Eveline, b. Jan. 4, 1930. Address, Callao, Mo.

iii. Randolph Lewis, b. Apr. 11, 1905, at Callao, Mo.; m. Sept. 3, 1930, Elizabeth Chrisman. Address, New Cambria, Mo.

iv. Maud Margaret, b. Mar. 18, 1908, blind since nine years of age.

v. Willie Lester, b. Oct. 26, 1910, at Callao, Mo.

vi. Eddy Emberson, b. Mar. 21, 1913, at Callao, Mo.

vii. Vera Geraldine, b. June 1, 1915, at Callao, Mo.

viii. Velva L., b. and d. June 14, 1918, at Callao, Mo.

ix. Fred Francis, b. Nov. 20, 1919, at New Cambria, Mo.

95. DAN OLIVER CROSS[6] (Lewis,[5] John R.,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 18, 1885, at Callao, Mo.; m. Mar. 2, 1904, at Bevier, Mo., Mary Elizabeth Richards, b. Sept. 25, 1884, at Bevier, Mo., daughter of W. M. Richards, b. Sept. 1, 1863; m. Dec. 24, 1882, at Bevier, Mary Griffith, b. Mar. 8, 1862, d. Oct. 9, 1921. Mr. Cross is a Bridge Builder living at Rush Center, Kansas.

Children (Cross)—all born at Bevier, Mo.:

i. Harold Oliver, b. Feb. 26, 1905; m. Helen Louise Cross Children, Harold Dean, b. Nov. 24, 1926, and Nadine Louise, b. Nov. 30, 1930. Address, Manhattan, Kansas.
ii. Delbert H., b. June 10, 1907; m. Mary Louise Jones. Address, Callao, Mo.
iii. Gilbert L., b. Dec. 29, 1909; m. Bernice Myrtle Kissick. Address, Hugoton, Kan.
iv. George L., b. June 3, 1913.
v. Ralph H., b. June 18, 1916.
vi. Elberta, b. and d. June 7, 1912, buried in Oakwood Cemetery, Bevier, Mo.
vii. Verne David, b. Dec. 7, 1918.

96. HUGH H. CROSS[6] (Lewis,[5] John R.,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 13, 1896, at Callao, Mo.; m. Sept. 27, 1919, at Macon, Mo., Grace Herrin, b. Sept. 7, 1892, at Callao, Mo., daughter of Clayborne Herrin, b. Jan. 10, 1861, m. Jan. 20, 1884, Susie Miller, b. Oct. 16, 1863, in Wythe Co., Va. Mr. Cross is a farmer at Callao, Mo., R. # 3.

Children (Cross)—all born at Callao, Mo.:

i. Infant, b. and d. Jan., 1921.
ii. Hazel Louaine, b. Apr. 28, 1922.
iii. Laurel May, b. July 8, 1924.
iv. Margaret Inez, b. Feb. 6, 1927.
v. Paul Lee, b. Mar. 4, 1928.

97. DAVID LAWRENCE CROSS[6] (William H.,[5] John R.,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 11, 1876, at Bevier, Mo.; m. Dec. 25, 1898, Lizzeta Jones, b. at Bevier, Mo., Aug. 4, 1879, daughter of John H. Jones, b. Oct. 27, 1840, d. Feb. 2, 1920, and Mary A. Cress. Mr. Cross is a conductor on the Burlington R. R. and lives at 1010 N. Main, Brookfield, Mo.

Children (Cross):

i. Edna, b. Dec. 16, 1899; m. George B. Bozarth, lives at Brookfield, Mo

98. JOHN LEWIS McKENZIE[6] (Mary Frances,[5] Elizabeth,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 9, 1870, in Macon Co., Mo.; m. Nov. 20, 1895, in Macon Co., Annie Margaret Fisher, b. Oct. 27, 1873, in Macon Co., daughter of Henry Fisher, b. June 29, 1847, d. Jan. 23, 1927; m. Nov. 1, 1869, in Macon Co., to Rosa Rhinocher,

b. Mar. 13, 1835, d. Aug. 24, 1898. He is a farmer living near Macon, Mo. R. # 7.

Children (McKenzie)—all born in Macon Co., Mo.:

i. Royal, b. Sept. 11, 1896; m. Mary Winkler on Apr. 19, 1924.
ii. Jessie Belle, b. Nov. 8, 1908.
iii. Mary Ann, b. Jan. 9, 1901.

99. ELMERTIE McKENZIE[6] (Mary Frances,[5] Elizabeth,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 30, 1874, near Bloomington, Mo.; m. Apr. 4, 1900, near Hopewell, Mo., Obadiah Tate, b. Jan. 5, 1868, near Atlanta, Mo., son of R. S. Tate and Caroline Low. Mr. Tate is a farmer near Atlanta, Mo.

Children (Tate)—all born on the Tate place near Atlanta:

i. Obie Elbert, b. Mar. 23, 1901; m. Aug., 1921, Eva Miller. One son, Harold, b. July 29, 1924. Atlanta, Mo., R. # 4.
ii. Roy S., b. May 26, 1902; m. Clara Tipton in Apr., 1925. No children. Atlanta, Mo., R. # 1.
iii. Mary Effie, b. Sept. 1, 1903; m. Nov. 21, 1906, Lyle Mettes, farmer at Atlanta, Mo. Two children: Katheryn, b. June 23, 1927, and Doris, b. Nov. 26, 1929, Atlanta, Mo., R. # 4.
iv. John Tolman, b. Dec. 9, 1904; m. Mar. 6, 1926, Ona Bealmer, a farmer near Atlanta, Mo., R. # 2. Two children: Lena Mae, b. Jan 24, 1927, and William Lee, b. Mar. 4, 1928.
v. Ordell Monroe, b. Apr. 20, 1906.
vi. Lawrence Elmo, b. June 21, 1909.
vii. Infant son, b. Dec. 10, 1910, d. Dec. 29, 1910.

100. ALICE ANN McKENZIE[6] (Mary Frances,[5] Elizabeth,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 12, 1875, near Bloomington, Mo.; m. Oct. 11, 1899, near Bloomington, George Leonard Adams, b. Nov. 1, 1866, at Ioka, Iowa, son of William Adams, b. Apr. 15, 1810, d. June 25, 1899; m. Mar. 6, 1861, in Macon Co., Mo., Mary Sears, b. June 5, 1837, and still living. Mr. Adams d. June 26, 1920. The family live at Callao, Mo.

Children (Adams)—all born near Callao, Mo.:

i. Inize Lee, b. Oct. 20, 1901; m. Nov. 23, 1927, at Macon, Mo. Henry Lambert Geerlings, b. Apr. 29, 1890, in the Netherlands, attended University of Leyden in Holland. Their children are: Mina Elizabeth, b. Apr. 24, 1928 and Henry George, b. Sept. 4, 1930.
ii. Mary Ettie, b. Nov. 27, 1903.

101. CHARLES OTIS SKINNER[6] (Lavica Ellen,[5] Elizabeth,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 4, 1882, near Bloomington, Mo.; m. Mar. 3, 1909, at Fayette, Mo., Effie Ethel Frazier, b. Dec. 29, 1888, at Fayette, Mo., daughter of Barney S. Frazier, b. Dec. 27, 1855;

m. Oct. 21, 1885, Amanda Williams, b. Oct. 3, 1865. Mr. Skinner is in the Garage and Oil Business at Atlanta, Mo.

Children (Skinner)—born at Bevier, Mo.:

i. Margaret Lucille, b. Apr. 18, 1911, senior in Central College at Fayette, Mo.
ii. Otis Oral, b. Feb. 5, 1916, sophomore in High School at Atlanta, Mo.

102. VELLA SKINNER[6] (Belle,[5] Elizabeth,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 23, 1882, in Macon Co., Mo.; m. Mar. 27, 1907, in Macon Co., Charles Albert Slighton, b. June 3, 1879, in Macon Co., d. Mar. 5, 1919, son of George Slighton, d. Dec. 24, 1919; m. in 1876, Surba Gross, d. Aug. 22, 1929. Mrs. Slighton lives at Bevier, Mo.

Children (Slighton)—born at Bevier, Mo.:

i. Tabitha Bell, b. June 27, 1914.
ii. Zella Mae, b. Apr. 17, 1916.

103. ADELINE (ADDIE) CROSS[6] (William H.,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 25, 1867, in Macon Co., Mo., d. in Calif., June 24, 1921; m. Sept. 24, 1886, at Macon, Mo., George Washington Ford, b. Feb. 22, 1863, d. Nov. 11, 1920, son of John Wilson Ford and Phoebe Clark, of Macon, Co., Mo.

Children (Ford):

i. George Everett, b. July 26, 1887, in Macon, Mo. d.
ii. Ethel Mae, b. June 24, 1889, in Macon, Mo.; m. Thomas A. Griffin.
iii. John Wilson, b. Jan. 18, 1891, in Macon, Mo.; m. Nellie Lunsford.
iv. Tolbert Monroe, b. Mar. 14, 1896, at Merced, Calif.; m. Mar. 11, 1916, at Oakland, Calif. Cyrus William Croop, b. Jan. 22, 1890, at Lingard, Calif., son of William B. Croop and Grace Beecher, living in Merced, Calif. Mrs. Croop attended Mills College in Oakland, and Mr. Croop the University of Calif. He was Dist. Atty. for Merced Co., and served in the World War, d. May 26, 1928. Mrs. Croop lives at 8462 W. 4th St., Los Angeles, Calif. Their children were: Cyrus William, Jr., b. Mar. 11, 1922, d. June 6, 1926, buried at Merced, and James Bigeler, b. Mar. 13, 1928.
v. Robert E., b. Dec. 26, 1898, at Plainsburg, Calif., d.

104. LENNIE VIOLA CROSS[6] (John T.,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 8, 1875, at Callao, Mo.; m. Apr. 13, 1892, George W. Perrin.

Children (Perrin):

i. Lyndon Ray, b. Oct. 30, 1895; m. Josie Roberts. They have one son, Robert, b. Oct. 23, 1923.

105. LETHA LEONE CROSS[6] (John T.,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 26, 1877, at Callao, Mo.; m. Oct. 25, 1896,

at Callao, Charles Elias Sleeth, b. July 29, 1857, at Atlanta, Mo., son of Allen Wiley Sleeth, Union soldier in Civil War, b. Oct. 9, 1834, d. Mar. 18, 1864; m. July 6, 1856, at Macon, Mo., Joanne Parr, who m. (2) Mar. 6, 1869, Joseph E. Hart, d. Dec. 26, 1900. Mr. Sleeth d. Dec. 4, 1922, and Mrs. Sleeth m. (2) Sept. 23, 1928, J. H. Ratliff and lives at West Plains, Mo.

Children (Sleeth):

i. Harry Marcus, b. Sept. 11, 1897, at Macon, Mo.; m. Mar. 31, 1920, at Macon, Mo., Jennie Catherine Turner, b. Mar. 4, 1897, daughter of Thomas N. Turner, a Union soldier in the Civil War, b. Jan. 13, 1849, d. Apr. 19, 1921, who m. Apr. 23, 1871, Susan Lile, b. Mar. 10, 1852. Mrs. Sleeth attended Kirksville State Teachers College and Union College at Lincoln, Neb. Mr. Sleeth is a lumberman living at 200 Curry St., West Plains, Mo.

106. WILLIAM ASA CROSS[6] (John T.,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 10, 1879, at Callao, Mo.; m. Nov. 9, 1904, Bettie Holland, b. July 11, 1886, at College Mound, Mo., daughter of Pleasant Holland, d. May 3, 1906, and Jane Hogue, b. Mar. 4, 1852, granddaughter of Chestly Holland and Agnes Holland of Ky., and also of William Hogue and Anna Kentry.

Children (Cross)—all born at Callao, Mo.:

i. Lillie May, b. Oct. 16, 1905; m. Apr., 1924, in Macon Co., Albert Gates, b. Feb. 24, 1893, at Gifford, Mo., son of Samuel Gates, b. Oct. 3, 1869, d. Aug. 2, 1912; and Lillie Dudley, b. Aug. 24, 1893. Mr. Gates was in the World War, 1918. He is a farmer at Callao, Mo. Their children are: Juanita, b. at Callao, Mo., Feb. 8, 1928, and William Samuel, b. July 14, 1930.
ii. Roscoe, b. May 3, 1907; m. Esther Smith.
iii. Ordell, b. Oct. 1, 1918.

107. THOMAS EMERY CROSS[6] (John T.,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 20, 1881, at Callao, Mo.; m. Oct. 29, 1926, at Bloomfield, Iowa, Irene Thomas, b. Dec. 2, 1908, at New Cambria, Mo., daughter of John Edward Thomas, b. June 14, 1864, m. May 16, 1890, at New Cambria, Mo., Mary James, b. Mar. 4, 1870. Mr. Cross is a farmer living at Callao, Mo.

Children (Cross)—all born at Callao, Mo.:

i. Edith Fern, b. Aug. 7, 1927.
ii. Thomas, Jr., b. Sept. 21, 1928.
iii. William Robert, b. Feb. 11, 1930.

108. ORA OTHEL CROSS[6] (John T.,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 23, 1884, at Callao, Mo.; m. Dec. 25, 1910, at Callao, Mo., Lola Bea Herrin, b. Mar. 20, 1891, daughter of Clai-

born Herrin, b. Jan. 10, 1861, and Susie Miller, b. Oct. 16, 1861. Mr. Cross is a farmer at Callao, Mo., R. # 1.

Children (Cross)—all born at Callao, Mo.:

i. Mabel Mae, b. May 2, 1915.
ii. Virgil Francis, b. Mar. 5, 1917.

109. ALBERT RAY CROSS[6] (John T.,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 18, 1896, at Callao, Mo.; m. Jan. 15, 1920, at Macon, Mo., Flossie Gates, b. Dec. 30, 1901, at Gifford, Mo., daughter of Samuel Gates, d. Aug., 1912, who m. in 1891, at Gifford, Mo., Lillie White Dudley, b. Aug. 24, 1873. Mr. Cross served in the World War and lives at Callao, Mo.

Children (Cross):

i. Maxine Altha, b. at Callao, Mo., Feb. 19, 1925.

110. ORBREY LEE CROSS[6] (George W.,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 7, 1880, Macon Co., Mo.; m. Aug. 27, 1902, at Callao, Mo., Lena Opal Wright, b. Sept. 10, 1881 near Callao, Mo., daughter of William C. Wright, b. Feb. 6, 1841 and Sarah J. Perkins, b. Oct. 15, 1847, married near Callao in 1878. Mr. Cross was educated at the Chillicothe Normal School and University of Mo. He has been Superintendent of Schools, Macon, Mo., since 1911. Address, 603 Jackson St., Macon, Mo.

Children (Cross):

i. Lloyd Wright, b. Oct. 8, 1906, near Callao, d. Sept. 30, 1915, buried at Concord, near Callao.
ii. Lane, b. Mar. 18, 1908, near Callao, graduate of Westminster College, also of Kirksville School of Osteopathy, 1931.
iii. Lena Nadine, b. Jan. 10, 1915, at Macon. Mo.

111. MARVIN FRANKLIN CROSS[6] (George W.,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 9, 1892, at Callao, Mo.; m. July 2, 1911, at Bynumville, Mo., Mabel Nellie Thompson, b. Oct. 21, 1893, at New Cambria, Mo., daughter of John Thompson, b. Dec. 29, 1856, at Portsmouth, Ohio, and Harriett Fletcher, b. July 31, 1858, in Nottingham, England. Mr. Cross attended the Chillicothe and Kirksville State Normal Schools. After living several years at Cherokee, Iowa, as Farm Manager of 1000 acres for State of Iowa Hospital Farm, in 1925 he resigned to accept position of Insurance Adviser for New York Life Ins. Co. On Sept. 1, 1929, he was transferred to Santa Monica, Calif., where he now lives at 927 Third Street.

Children (Cross):

i. Harold Eugene, b. Nov. 22, 1912, at Kansas City, Mo.
ii. Carl Wayne, b. June 1, 1914, at Kansas City, Mo.
iii. Harriett Norine, b. Apr. 16, 1916, at New Cambria, Mo.
iv. Merton Franklin, b. Oct. 2, 1918, at New Cambria, Mo.

112. EMMA OTHEL WRIGHT[6] (Mary Elizabeth,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 1, 1877, at Callao, Mo.; m. Apr. 12, 1896, at Callao, Mo., John Franklin Summers, b. May 14, 1872, at Bevier, Mo., son of Robert Wilkin Summers, b. Dec. 7, 1845, d. Oct. 11, 1910, and DiDemma Corbin, b. in 1849, d. in 1879. Mr. Summers is Night Watchman at the American Brass Co., and the family lives at 6325 24th Ave., Kenosha, Wis.

Children (Summers)—born at Bevier, Mo.:

i. Mary Emma, b. Dec. 23, 1904; m. Bearc Truman Peyton, b. June 27, 1904, at Cardy, Mo., son of Alonzo Peyton and Mary Olive Deskin. Mrs. Peyton attended Central College, Fayette, Mo., and Kirksville State Teachers College. Mr. Peyton attended Kirksville State Teachers College and is a salesman for the J. C. Penney Co. They live in Kirksville, Mo.
ii. Thelma Marie, b. Feb. 28, 1914.

113. ADDIE ELLEN WRIGHT[6] (Mary Elizabeth,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 16, 1880, in Macon Co., Mo., m. (1) George Tabor, b. Oct. 13, 1881, in Macon Co., son of William Cooper Tabor, b. in Ky. in 1840, d. in 1907; who m. in Macon Co. in 1871 Sarah Elizabeth Baker, b. May 17, 1850, d. Sept. 9, 1928. W. C. Tabor was a Civil War veteran.

On October 12, 1929, at Olathe, Kan., Mrs. Tabor m. (2) William Forrest Rickman, b. Apr. 19, 1883, in Ohio, son of Francis Marion Rickman, b. May 22, 1847, and Dorothea Phelps, b. Dec. 7, 1849, of Union Co., Ohio. Mrs. Rickman lives at 1214 Lawnsdale St., Kansas City, Mo.

Children (Tabor):

i. Lorene, b. June 3, 1902, in Macon Co., Mo.; m. Joe Herriman, lives at 531 Marsh Ave., Kansas City, Mo.
ii. Elnora, b. Sept. 11, 1904, in Macon Co., Mo.; m. James Sportsman, lives at 531 Marsh Ave., Kansas City, Mo.
iii. Bernell, b. May 9, 1907, in Macon Co., Mo., d. Jan. 3, 1923, buried at Concord Church.
iv. Mary, b. Mar. 25, 1913, in Macon Co., Mo.
v. Wilford Lee, b. May 27, 1918, in Chariton Co., Mo.

114. JAMES FRANKLIN WRIGHT[6] (Mary Elizabeth,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 8, 1892, at Callao, Mo.; m. (1) Grace Denny and (2) Eva Dixon. He and his family live on his father's farm at Callao, Mo.

Children (Wright)—all born near Callao, Mo.:

i. Amy Ilene, 14 years old.
ii. Mary Margaret, 13.
iii. Paul, 11.
iv. Martha, 8.
v. Emma Charline, 3.
vi. Norman Earl, b. Aug. 3, 1931.

115. MOLLIE CROSS[6] (James T.,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 4, 1879, at Callao, Mo.; m. Feb. 21, 1900, Lloyd Hisle, b. Jan. 6, 1872, at Barryville, Mo., son of Daniel Hisle who d. in 1892 and Mary Mason. Address, Callao, Mo., R. No. 1.

Children (Hisle)—all born at Callao, Mo.:

i. Mary, b. Dec. 13, 1901; m. Bert Groenboom, Mendon, Mo.
ii. Susie, b. Nov. 19, 1905.
iii. Nellie, b. Jan. 19, 1909.
iv. Ruby, b. May 1, 1915.
v. Ruth, b. May 1, 1915, d. infancy, buried in Concord Cemetery.

116. JESSIE MAE HALL[6] (Rachel,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 3, 1878, near Callao, Mo.; m. George Hisle, d. Nov. 24, 1927. Her address is Box 375, Glen Ellyn, Illinois.

Children (Hisle):

i. Lela Mae, m. Carl Marshall. Two sons, Carl, Jr., and Donald. Address, Callao, Mo., R. # 1.
ii. Francis, m. Allene Wisdom, one child, Garyl. Address, Callao, Mo.
iii. Virginia, of Glen Ellyn, Ill.

117. ROY HALL[6] (Rachel,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 9, 1881, near Callao, Mo.; m. Jan. 5, 1916, at Callao, Molie Perrin, b. July 27, 1881, near Callao, daughter of Charles E. Perrin, b. Mar. 9, 1856, m. Oct. 27, 1880, Millie E. Perrin, b. Feb. 22, 1856. Mrs. Hall attended the Chillicothe Normal School before marrying Mr. Hall, who is a farmer near Callao, Mo., R. No. 1.

Children (Hall):

i. Charles Francis Miller, b. July 25, 1920.

118. GRACIE BELL HALL[6] (Rachel,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. in 1890 near Callao, Mo.; m. Dec. 21, 1904, at Callao, Mo., James Gates, b. Dec. 24, 1886, near Callao, Mo., son of George Gates, b. in 1865, and Leona Epperly. Mr. Gates is a cement contractor in Glen Ellyn, Illinois. Address, 629 Spaulding Avenue.

Children (Gates)—all born near Callao, Mo.:

i. Owen, b. Nov. 23, 1907; m. Sylvia Walton, May 27, 1928, son James, an infant.

ii. Alice, b. Nov. 29, 1909, m. Fred Willis, Oct. 27, 1927, living at 629 Spaulding Ave., Glen Ellyn, Ill.
iii. Eldred, b. Apr. 24, 1912.
iv. Marguerite, b. Aug. 14, 1914.
v. Edith, d. Aug. 9, 1908, buried at Concord Cemetery, near Callao, Mo.

119. WILLIAM MARTIN CROSS[6] (Richard,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 8, 1880; m. Aug. 7, 1907, Hallie Finnell. Address, Pasadena, Calif.

Children (Cross):

i. Robert Richard, b. Nov. 8, 1910.
ii. Martin, b. Feb. 15, 1917.

120. THOMAS MINOR CROSS[6] (Richard,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 17, 1886; m. June 5, 1907, Ona Shockley, b. Sept. 13, 1889. Address, Macon, Mo.

Children (Cross):

i. Mary Emma, b. Mar. 14, 1908; m. Walter B. Arnold, on Apr. 24, 1927. One son, Gerald Walter, b. Feb. 17, 1928. Address, Steamboat Springs, Colo.
ii. Mabel, b. Dec. 31, 1910.
iii. Edith, b. Mar. 9, 1913.
iv. Lenos, b. Mar. 9, 1916.
v. Charles Minor, b. Feb. 29, 1924.

121. RUTH NAOMIA CROSS,[6] (Thomas T.,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 6, 1898, at Callao, Mo.; m. Feb. 25, 1917, at College Mound, Mo., Marvin Lee Campbell, b. at Green Bow, N. C., Feb. 25, 1895. Address, Glen Ellyn, Illinois.

Children (Campbell):

i. Marvin Lee, Jr., b. Oct. 1, 1919, d. Oct. 2, 1919.

122. STANLEY GAIL CROSS[6] (Thomas T.,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 19, 1900, at Callao, Mo.; m. Jan. 1, 1924, at Callao, Mo., Helen Beatrice Terrel, b. Oct. 24, 1904, at Callao, Mo., daughter of Robert Overt Terrel who m. Sept. 26, 1900, at Macon, Mo., Martha Jane Roberts, b. Feb. 27, 1882. Mr. Cross is a foreman at Allen A Co., Kenosha, Wis., and lives at 7015 31st Avenue.

Children (Cross)—all born at Callao, Mo.:

i. William Gail, b. June 7, 1925.
ii. Richard Lee, b. Aug. 6, 1927.
iii. Robert Thomas, b. Aug. 6, 1927.

123. CLINTON V. CROSS[6] (Thomas T.,[5] William,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 15, 1902, at College Mound, Mo.; m. July 26, 1924, at Macon, Mo., Mary Frances Tuttle, b. Mar. 10, 1907, at Bevier, Mo., daughter of David M. Tuttle, b. June 20, 1871, and Ella L. Ferguson, b. May 8, 1879, m. May 28, 1903, at Macon, Mo. Address, Bevier, Mo.

Children (Cross):

i. Norma Jean, b. Jan. 31, 1926.
ii. Donald Lee, b. Aug. 26, 1928.
iii. Verne Dee, b. Jan. 19, 1930.

124. LEE ROY CROSS[6] (William James,[5] Wright,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 11, 1877, near Callao, Mo.; m. Sept. 23, 1899, at Barryville, Mo., Adra J. Gipson, b. Aug. 11, 1881, at College Mound, Mo., daughter of James Gipson, b. in 1854, and Lizzie Summers, of Putnam Co. Address, 604 Depot St., Huntsville, Mo.

Children (Cross):

i. Harry Leon, b. Aug. 20, 1904; m. Ida Verlee Frazier, Huntsville, Mo.
ii. Floyd Leslie, b. Mar. 31, 1907.
iii. Lilafea, b. Jan. 11, 1911.
iv. Jewell Burnard, b. July 18, 1916.

125. ART CROSS[6] (William James,[5] Wright,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 2, 1883; m. Dec. 25, 1902, Frances Kinkade. Huntsville, Mo.

Children (Cross):

i. Doyce, b. Mar. 21, 1904.
ii. Bernice, b. May, 1906.
iii. Marguerite, b. Dec., 1907.
iv. Hila Mae, b. May, 1912.

126. MARY CROSS[6] (William James,[5] Wright,[4] William,[3] Willim,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 16, 1887, at College Mound, Mo.; m. Dec. 20, 1909, in Macon Co., Merle Summers, b. Sept. 13, 1880, son of Jim Louis Summers and wife Mary. Address, Huntsville, Mo.

Children (Summers):

i. Hanly Lee, b. in Macon Co., Apr. 28, 1910.
ii. Virgil, b. in Macon Co., May 12, 1913.
iii. Carl, b. Mar. 14, 1918.
iv. Lloyd, b. June 2, 1924, in Randolph Co.

127. FRANK ELLSWORTH CROSS[6] (Thomas Willis,[5] Wright,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 21, 1913, at Callao, Mo.; m.

Ruby Gertrude Perrin, b. July 26, 1894, at Callao, Mo., daughter of Charles Perrin and wife Millie, b. Feb. 22, 1856. Mr. Cross attended school at Chillicothe, Mo., and is a farmer near Callao, Mo., R. No. 1.

Child (Cross):

i. Millia Jane, b. Oct. 1, 1921, at Callao, Mo.

128. EMMA SHOEMAKER[6] (Virginia Florence,[5] Wright,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 7, 1886, at Callao, Mo.; m. June 5, 1905, at College Mound, Mo., Eddie Lee Shipp, b. July 28, 1886, at Jacksonville, Mo., son of Manles Shipp who d. Sept. 26, 1925, and Elizabeth Overby who d. Nov. 18, 1928. Address Owensmouth, Calif.

Children (Shipp):

i. Eugie, b. Feb. 27, 1906, at Callao, Mo.; m. Agnes Zastera. One child, Gaford Wayne, b. Oct. 18, 1928.
ii. Yewed B., b. Aug. 6, 1909, at Jacksonville, Mo.

129. JAMES EMERY SHOEMAKER[6] (Virginia Florence,[5] Wright,[4] William,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 14, 1894, at Bevier, Mo.; m. May 4, 1913, Maggie Wylie, b. at Whitehorse, Ky., daughter of Ches Wylie. Mr. Shoemaker is a laundryman living at 103 W. 3rd St., Elmhurst, Ill. He served in the 89th Div. A. E. F. during the World War.

Children (Shoemaker):

i. Margaret Elizabeth, b. Aug. 12, 1915.
ii. James Norman, b. Dec. 15, 1917.

130. DAPHNE MATHIS[6] (James,[5] John C.,[4] Nancy,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 30, 1903, in Macon Co., Mo.; m. Mar. 18, 1922, at Kirksville, Mo., Henry Howerton, b. Apr. 1, 1890, at Walnut Mo., son of David Howerton and Vie Miller. Mrs. Howerton attended the Kirksville State Teachers College. Mr. Howerton is a rural mail carrier at Elmer, Mo.

Children (Howerton):

i. Evelyn Willeta, b. July 17, 1923, at Elmer, Mo.

131. HAZEL ELMA MATHIS[6] (James,[5] John C.,[4] Nancy,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 9, 1901, in Macon Co., Mo.; m. Oct. 20, 1921, at Kirksville, Mo., Ernest Appleton Gunnels, b. Nov. 28, 1898, in Macon Co., son of Jim Henry Gunnels, b. Aug. 6, 1851, and wife, Amanda Ellen, b. Aug. 5, 1862. Mrs. Gunnels attended Kirksville State Teachers College. Mr. Gunnels is a farmer at Elmer, Mo.

Children (Gunnels):

i. Edwin LaVerne, b. Aug. 10, 1922, in Macon Co., Mo.

CLARENCE, MO., NOV. 25, 1919—85TH BIRTHDAY OF HENRY CLAY CROSS.
Left to right, standing—(st), kneeling—(k), seated—(s), begin at top.

(St): John Cross, Jennie (Cross) Knox, George Knox, Kate (Bonnel) Cross, John Knox, Marvin B. Cross, Mabel (Green) Cross, Dr. R. A. Woods, Viola (Martin) Oldham, Elmer F. Cross, Mate (Mitchell) Cross, Olivia (Harris) Cross, Wm. Clay Cross, Susan (Taylor) Cross, Len Carr, Frank M. Kirby, Scotty (Knox) Westlake, Charles Cross, Madie (Minor) Cross, Yeaman Cross, Conrad L. Robinson, Mabel (Thraikill) Carr, Roy Oldham.

(K): Ada Cross, Perle Cross, Leston Cross, Pearl (Teter) Cross, Mollie (Butner) Cross, Alpha (White) Haffenden, Pauline Cross, Henry Clayton Cross, Dorothy (Cross) Robinson, Leola (Cunningham) Knox.

Uncle Henry in chair, and (st) on one side, Bernice Cross, other side, Dorothy Robinson and Francis Westlake.

(S): John Newton Cross, Imogene Cross, Carmen Cross, Mollie (Cross) Woods, Robert Haffenden, George Oldham, Archie Knox with son Howard in lap.

PART III

George Cross of Illinois and His Descendants.

GEORGE CROSS OF ILLINOIS AND HIS DESCENDANTS

The story of the first two generations of Crosses has been told in Part I of this volume. In Part II we traced the families of Crosses who located in Missouri. In Part I we noted that William Cross, Jr., who died in Missouri, was twice married and that the children by the first marriage were John and George. When the parents separated the mother took George to Tennessee. About 1815 George Cross located in Illinois where most of his children were born and where numerous of his descendants continue to reside. Part III is devoted to the history of George Cross and his descendants.

In numbering the families we have continued the system followed in the first and second parts of the history, George Cross being No. 4 in Part I. The last number in Part II is 131, so the first child of George Cross is given the number 132. In listing the generations, George Cross and his children are listed under the third generation, because he is of the third generation from William Cross, Sr.

An interesting story was published in a Mattoon, Illinois, paper in 1925, telling of the Old Baptist Cemetery near Neoga where the older members of the George Cross family are buried. Among those buried there are Hughes Cross, born in 1794 and died in 1871; Sarah McCown Moore who died Feb. 19, 1851, and her mother, Peggy McCown, who died in 1836. The land for this cemetery was given by George W. Cross, the grandson of the ancestor of the Cross family of Illinois. This burying ground was taken over from the Indians by the Primitive or Separate Baptist Church in pioneer days. Adjoining it was built the church called "The Old Concord Church."

> "Tradition is that the pioneer members of the Primitive Baptists entered into a covenant with the aborigines that the time honored customs of the tribes would be carried out ad infinitum, that the governance of the burying ground would be perpetuated as the Indians did until the second coming of Christ.
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> "The legend which came to the ears of the pioneer Baptists from the Indians, was that they had been taught by the Great Spirit that the heavens would retain the spirits of the Indians who had passed beyond until Jehovah came to call forth the quick and the dead to a newness of life following their resurrection.
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> "One of the rules of the burying ground is that no plot or parcel of it should be sold for a money consideration."

THIRD GENERATION

4. GEORGE CROSS[3] (William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 31, 1792, in Va.; m. (Miss) Major Hughes, b. in 1794 in Ky. or Ga. Little is known of her people except that her mother was born in Germany and she had brothers and sisters named John, William, Elias, Abigail, Sally and Hetty. She died Jan. 12, 1871, in Ill., and was buried in the Old Baptist Cemetery. Mr. Cross moved to Ellis Co., Texas, in 1855 and died there June 18, 1857. In 1867 the family returned to Illinois.

Children (*Cross*):

132. i. Roger, b. Apr. 12, 1812; m. Loretta Gibbs.
ii. Polly, d. at age of fourteen years.
133. iii. George, b. Mar. 10, 1815; m. Minerva Brinnegar.
134. iv. David, b. 1818; m. Polly Gibbs.
135. v. William, b. Sept. 13, 1820; m. Rebecca Young.
136. vi. John, b. May 5, 1822; m. (1) Margaret Farmer, (2) Martha Ellen Goar.
137. vii. Sarah, b. Jan. 12, 1824; m. John Ellis.
viii. Samuel, b. Jan. 14, 1827, d. in Calif. in 1863, single.
138. ix. James, b. Apr. 4, 1829; m. (1) Mary Ellen Blystone (2) Millie Atterbury.
x. Loretta, b. Feb. 15, 1835; m. Eber Kincaid, a Baptist preacher. They lived at Terre Haute, Ind., and reared a large family but all efforts to reach this family failed.
139. xi. Alexander, b. May 15, 1837; m. (1) Eliza Bolin (2) ———.

FOURTH GENERATION

132. ROGER CROSS[4] (George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 18, 1812. His tombstone in the Primitive Baptist Cemetery bears this inscription, "died July 6, 1885. Aged 73 years, 2 mo. and 16 days." From the Roger Cross Family Bible we learn that: "Roger Cross was born in Christian Co., Ky., Apr. 12, 1812, came to Ill. and settled in what was then Lawrence Co., now Richland Co., with his father in 1815. Moved to Coles Co. in 1829. Was married to Loretta Gibbs Oct. 23, 1833. Settled in Big Spring Township, Shelby Co., in 1839 where he resided most of the time till his death which occurred July 6, 1885. He joined the regular Baptist Church called Concord in 1843 of which he lived a consistent member till his death.

"Loretta Gibbs, the wife of George Cross, was born in Hamilton Co., Ohio, near Cincinnati, Jan. 30, 1816. Came to Ill. at the age of three years, settled in Lawrence Co., came to Coles Co. in 1824, was married to Roger Cross Oct. 23, 1833. Joined the regular Baptist Church at the age of fifteen years and lived a consistent mem-

ber till her death which occurred Dec. 16, 1894." Loretta Gibbs was the daughter of Elias Gibbs and Hannah Ferris.

Children (Cross)—all born in Coles Co., Ill.:

i. George W., b. July 19, 1834, d. Mar. 29, 1899; m. Feb. 15, 1866, Sarah Jane Stewart, b. May 11, 1841, d. July 22, 1904, as the wife of John Gilpin. Mr. Cross gave the land for the old Baptist church and cemetery in Cumberland Co., near Neoga, Ill. No children.
140. ii. Mary Ann (Polly Ann), b. Nov. 21, 1835; m. (1) Joseph VanDeren, (2) Jesse Shields.
141. iii. Sarah Ann M., b. Mar. 1, 1837; m. Samuel Young.
iv. William Marion, b. July 29, 1839, d. Feb. 2, 1915; m. July 7, 1879, Sarah A. V. Waggoner, b. Apr. 1, 1847, d. May 17, 1892. He was blind at age of fifteen years. No children.
142. v. David Jefferson, b. Jan. 29, 1841; m. Serepta Ann Bates.
143. vi. James Harvey, b. Feb. 2, 1843; m. (1) Charity Ann Dodds, (2) Elizabeth Ringo.
vii. Harriett M., b. Feb. 10, 1845, d. Sept., 1846.
144. viii. Elizabeth Jane, b. Aug. 30, 1846; m. Joseph Taylor Good.
145. ix. Hannah Major, b. Jan. 30, 1849, m. Leonard Franklin Good.
x. Samuel M., b. Mar. 5, 1851, d. June 6, 1906, single.
xi. Abram, b. Jan. 31, 1853, d. Dec. 31, 1853.
146. xii. Elijah Franklin, b. Sept. 26, 1856; m. Kate Webb.
xiii. Charity Ellen, b. Oct., 1861, d. Nov., 1861.

133. GEORGE CROSS[4] (George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 10, 1815, in Illinois; m. Dec. 10, 1840, Minerva Brinegar, b. in Ind. Nov. 9, 1821, daughter of Thomas and Minerva Stipp Brinegar. When a child she moved with her parents to a farm near Paradise, Ill. Not long after she was married she moved to Wis. where George Cross died Jan. 3, 1848, and was buried at Willow Springs near Mineral Point, Wis. At his death, his widow was left with three children, the youngest only two weeks old. She made her home with her parents, then with her brother, later with her children. In the Kansas City Journal of Jan. 12, 1922, her picture appeared with her daughter, Mary Jane Roberts, 79 years old, and her daughter Martha McDaniels, 75 years old, holding her birthday cake with 100 candles on it. At that time she had 14 grandchildren and 51 great grandchildren.

Children (Cross):

147. i. Mary Jane, b. July 3, 1843; m. James Sylvester Roberts.
148. ii. Andrew Jackson, b. Mar. 17, 1845; m. Isabelle Clark.
149. iii. Martha Jane, b. Dec. 20, 1846, in Fayette, Wisc.; m. Harvey Green McDaniels.

134. DAVID CROSS[4] (George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. in 1818 in Illinois; d. Nov. 22, 1867, and was buried in the Old Primitive Baptist Cemetery near Neoga, Ill.; m. Polly Ann Gibbs. Besides the children listed below the family speak of Elijah who

died in young manhood, Louretta, a little blind girl who was a sweet singer and died when only seven years old, and a baby Jimmie who died when only a year old, but none of the family could give the dates of their births or deaths.

Children (Cross):

i. William, known as "Deaf and Dumb Billie," because of his affliction. Single.
150. ii. Sarah Ann, b. June 13, 1840; m. John David Cross.
151. iii. Harriett Jane, b. Oct. 16, 1843; m. William Henry Pullen.
152. iv. George, b. Aug. 20, 1855; m. Mary Rose Canie.

135. WILLIAM CROSS[4] (George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 30, 1820, in Illinois. He was known to all as "Sandy Bill" and had a reputation throughout the country for his jokes and pranks. He married Rebecca Young, b. June 5, 1826, daughter of John Young and Gilla Sawyer.

Children (Cross):

153. i. Nancy Jane, b. Dec. 21, 1844; m. (1) Reuben Roby, (2) George McCartney.
ii. James.
iii. John William, b. Oct. 18, 1847, in Coles Co., Ill.; m. Nancy Maxfield, b. in Ill., June 5, 1844, daughter of Hiram Maxfield. J. W. Cross d. June 23, 1928, in Los Angeles, Calif.
iv. Major (daughter).
154. v. Gilla Margaret, b. Oct. 22, 1854; m. William Storm.
vi. Anna.
vii. Joseph.
155. viii. Ida, b. Dec. 28, 1859, at Neoga, Ill.; m. James McNamara.
ix. Laura, m. Lee Anderson. Lives in Chicago, Ill.
156. x. Charles Edward, b. Jan. 9, 1862, near Neoga, Ill.; m. Rose Sheridan.

136. JOHN CROSS[4] (George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 5, 1822, d. Jan. 26, 1876. The army marker at his grave in the Old Primitive Baptist Cemetery near Neoga, Ill., has this inscription: "John Cross, Co. A, 54th Ill. Infantry." He m. (1) Margaret Farmer who was the mother of all his children, and (2) Mrs. Goar, who was Martha Ellen Hart.

Children (Cross):

i. George, b. Sept., 1846; m. Mrs. John Cross, his step-mother.
157. ii. Lana, b. Mar. 20, 1848; m. Miles Worley Davis.
158. iii. John James, b. Nov. 8, 1850; m. Sadie Shields.
159. iv. William (Bill), b. May, 1852; m. Laura McAllister.
v. Alex, m. Mary Higgins.
vi. Emma Jane, d. young.

137. SARAH CROSS[4] (George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 12, 1824, in Illinois; d. Feb. 3, 1893; m. in 1854, John Ellis, b. May

MRS. MINERVA (BRINEGAR) CROSS ON HER 99TH BIRTHDAY

MARY (CROSS) ROBERTS and MARTHA JANE (CROSS) MCDANIEL
Holding Their Mother's 100th Birthday Cake.

19, 1806, d. Sept. 3, 1895. Both buried in the Concord Cemetery. John Ellis was the son of Jesse Ellis who came in 1834 from Tenn. to Ill. David Ellis (see below) wrote in 1922 that he had a half brother and sister, John Ellis aged 80 and Betty Cartmill, aged 94, living at Mansfield, Texas, "and if I don't die too soon, I think that I will live to be 100 years old." David Ellis also told that his parents with his uncle Alex and Uncle James Cross went to Texas in 1855. "Grandfather took sick, died and was buried on father's farm in Ellis Co., Texas. In 1857 and in 1867 my father and mother, together with grandmother Cross and all her children that went with them to Texas, came back to Ill. Uncle Alex and Uncle John served three years in the Union Army and Uncle James in the Southern Army."

Children (Ellis)—all born in Coles Co., Ill.:

160. i. Sam, b. Sept. 3, 1856; m. Clara Ellen Speakman.
161. ii. Joseph, b. May 23, 1859; m. (1) Mattie Cross, (2) Rosie Waggoner, (3) Nellie Good.
162. iii. David, b. Sept. 22, 1866; m. (1) Lavina Bolin, (2) Mrs. Leona Hummel Hatch.
iv. Three children died in infancy.

138. JAMES CROSS[4] (George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 4, 1829, in Illinois; d. Sept. 9, 1898; m. (1) Mary Ellen Blystone, b. July 16, 1836, d. "Sept. 23, 1878, aged 42 years, 2 months, 7 days," daughter of Henry Blystone whose second wife was Harriet Doods, m. (2) Millie Atterbury. He served in Southern Army in Civil War.

Children (Cross):

163. i. Marion, b. July 24, 1859, in Fort Worth, Texas; m. Jennie Zeigler.
ii. Martha Major (Mattie), b. Apr. 3, 1863; m. Joseph Ellis. (See No. 161 for her family.)
164. iii. John Henry, b. in Fort Worth, Texas; m. Alice Loretta Gibson.
iv. Jennie, b. Dec. 12, 1871, d. May, 1894, single.
165. v. Minnie Belle, b. July 9, 1873; m. Samuel Ernest Goodwin.

139. ALEXANDER CROSS[4] (George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 15, 1837; m. (1) Eliza Bolin, daughter of Bayley Bolin and Martha Johnson. The following account from a Neoga, Ill. newspaper tells the story of his life:

"Alexander Cross passed away at 9 o'clock Tues. morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wash Janes, north of Neoga. He had been in failing health for some time, and gradually grew weaker till the end.

"Alexander Cross, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Cross, was born in Paradise Twp., Coles Co., Ill., May 15, 1837, and departed this life Oct. 20, 1925, at the advanced age of 88 years, 5 months, 5 days.

"In young manhood he enlisted in Co. D, 123rd Ill. Volunteers and served his country faithfully until the end of the Civil War. After the close

of the war he decided to go to Texas where his parents and other relatives had emigrated a few years previously. He remained there only a short time, returning to this vicinity in 1867.

"On Sept. 28, 1868, he was married to Eliza Bolin. They went to housekeeping on her farm of fifteen acres north of Neoga, later purchasing twenty-five acres more and spending the remainder of their lives on this tract of land. Mrs. Cross died in 1895."

Afterwards Mr. Cross married again and lived part of the time with his step-daughter, Mrs. Emma Swinehart.

Children (Cross)—all born near Neoga, Ill.:

166. i. Sarah Catherine (Kate), b. June 27, 1869; m. Charles Henry Parker.
167. ii. Henrietta, b. Nov. 1, 1872; m. George Jones.
168. iii. James, b. Dec. 4, 1874; m. Artie Florence Janes.
169. iv. Mary Frances, b. Apr. 23, 1877; m. Wm. Washington Jones.
170. v. Winnie, b. July 30, 1884; m. Nicholas Fosbinder.

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140. MARY (POLLY) ANN CROSS[5] (Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 21, 1835, in Coles Co., Ill., d. Oct. 13, 1917; m. (1) Mar. 1858, Joseph Morgan VanDeren of Coles Co., Ill., b. Oct. 1, 1827, d. Feb. 26, 1870, in Shelby Co., Ill., and was buried in Coles Co. The name VanDeren is Holland Dutch. Later Mrs. VanDeren m. (2) Rev. Jesse Shields (No. 158), a Predestinarian Baptist preacher, b. Feb. 19, 1828, d. Feb. 7, 1913.

Children (VanDeren-Shields)—all born in Shelby Co., Ill.:

i. Stephen E. VanDeren, b. Dec. 9, 1858; m. Aug. 24, 1901, in Rocky Ford, Colo., Lula A. Wilson, b. May 18, 1867, in Harrison Co., Mo. They live at Newalla, Okla.
ii. Mary VanDeren, b. Aug. 25, 1860, d. Mar. 25, 1882.
iii. Jesse VanDeren, b. Nov. 11, 1861, bachelor, lived at Drumright, Okla., till his death, June 23, 1929.
iv. Loreatta VanDeren, b. Apr. 11, 1863, d. Oct. 6, 1924.
171. v. Harriett VanDeren, b. Mar. 18, 1865; m. John Storm.
172. vi. George M. VanDeren, b. Jan. 14, 1867; m. Leona Beatty.
vii. Susan VanDeren, b. Feb. 1, 1869, d. Feb. 15, 1869.
viii. Joseph VanDeren, b. Aug. 24, 1870, d. Aug. 5, 1902.
ix. Harvey Shields, b. Oct. 19, 1876, d. Oct. 29, 1880.

141. SARAH ANN CROSS[5] (Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 1, 1837, in Paradise Twp., Coles Co., Ill., d. July 2, 1914; m. Feb. 22, 1854, Samuel Young, b. in Hardin Co., Ky., Nov. 27, 1828, d. Dec. 20, 1881, son of John Young and Gilla Sawyer, a farmer, Predestinarian Baptist and a Democrat.

Children (Young):

i. Charles, b. Mar. 10, 1856, in Shelby Co., Ill., d. Sept. 20, 1908, and buried in Copperas Cemetery.

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ii. Mary Ellen, b. Nov. 13, 1857, in Dallas, Texas, d. Mar 3, 1927; m. Feb. 1, 1882, Wm. Luther McCurdy, b. Oct. 13, 1861, in Detroit, Mich. No children. Address, Neoga, Ill.
iii. Thomas Roger, b. Dec. 11, 1859, in Wise Co., Texas, d. Jan. 28, 1919.
iv. Ruth Ann, b. Feb. 25, 1862, in Shelby Co., Ill., d. May 31, 1863, buried in Copperas Cemetery.
v. Gilla Loretta (Lou), b. Feb. 21, 1864, in Shelby Co., Ill., d. July 2, 1927; m. Frank Kendall, son of Joseph Kendall and Anna Rossman, grandson of Increase Kendall and Betsey Towne, also of James E. Rossman and Mary Shoop, b. Nov. 7, 1867, in Shelby Co., Ill., and m. Sept. 20, 1887, has been Assessor and Supervisor at Neoga, Ill. No children.
173. vi. James Harvey, b. Apr. 18, 1866; m. Annie Laura McLaughlin.
174. vii. Jane Elizabeth, b. Nov. 25, 1868; m. John Dougherty.
viii. Rozetta (Rose), b. Nov. 8, 1871, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Mar. 18, 1890, Charley Eli Woodard, b. Mar. 28, 1863, in Grant Co., Ind., d. Mar. 27, 1924, son of James H. Woodard and Deborah Atkinson, grandson of Ethelrid Woodard and Sarah Hampton from Hampton, S. C., also grandson of Cephas Atkinson and Rebecca Bile. Mrs. Woodard lives at Neoga, Ill.
ix. John William, b. Jan. 25, 1874, in Shelby Co., Ill., d. Mar. 14, 1874, buried in Copperas Cemetery.
175. x. Samuel Edward, b. June 25, 1875, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Nellie A. Ferguson.

142. DAVID JEFFERSON CROSS[5] (Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 29, 1841. The army marker on his grave in the Concord Cemetery near Neoga, Ill., bears this inscription: "Entered Co. 'D' 8-9-1862, 123 Ill. Volunteers, Disbanded 7-10-1865. Died 8-14-1896, age 55 years, 6 months, and 15 days." Married Oct. 3, 1849, Serepta Ann Bates, b. Oct. 3, 1849, in Effingham Co., Ill., d. Dec. 1, 1887, daughter of Ezra Bates and Matilda Harris.

Children (Cross)—all born in Shelby Co., Ill.:

i. Daisy M., b. June 5, 1879; m. Mar. 10, 1917, at Medicine Lodge, Kan., Thomas Dillard Shelton, b. July 14, 1868, in Middletown, Tenn., son of Monroe Shelton and Nancy McKnight. No children.
ii. Jesse Marion, b. Mar. 31, 1883.
176. iii. George W., b. Jan. 22, 1886; m. (1) ———, (2) Zada Grace Bayles.
iv. Lulu, b. Oct. 12, 1887; m. Nov. 6, 1912, at Wichita, Kan., Munce Leonard Webb, b. Apr. 19, 1889, at Rogers, Ark., son of Jeff Webb and Margaret Fuzell, b. Sept. 13, 1861.

143. JAMES HARVEY CROSS[5] (Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 2, 1843, in Big Springs Twp., Shelby Co., Ill., d. Dec. 2, 1916, at Neoga, Ill.; m. (1) Nov. 28, 1878, Charity Ann Dodds, b. May 11, 1851, in Neoga, Ill., d. Feb. 8, 1891, daughter of John Dodds, a farmer in Big Springs Twp., and Charity Nichols. Married (2) Aug. 7, 1892, Elizabeth Ringo, b. July 25, 1852, in Clay Co., Ind., daughter of George Ringo of Ky. and Amanda Beatty, granddaughter of Elizabeth Bryan (related to Wm. Jennings Bryan) and Major Ringo. Mr. Cross was a Primitive Baptist, Mason, G. A.

R. and farmer, served during Civil War with Co. D, 123rd Ill. Vol. 1862-5. He held the office of School Treasurer for sixteen years, Assessor for five years, Collector for two years and Supervisor for four years.

Children (Cross)—all born in Big Springs Twp., Shelby Co., Ill., by first wife.

177. i. Stephen Anthony, b. Mar. 14, 1881; m. Edna Marie Smith.
ii. Florence Luella, b. Apr. 10, 1882, d. Mar. 9, 1883. Buried in Concord Baptist Cemetery.
178. iii. Mary Emma, b. Feb. 22, 1884; m. Dr. Clarence Norris.
179. iv. Harvey Britton, b. June 12, 1888; m. (1) Edith Leah Curry, (2) Erin Kinney.

144. ELIZABETH JANE CROSS[5] (Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 30, 1846, d. Apr. 8, 1900; m. Joseph Taylor Good, b. in Ash Grove Twp., Shelby Co., Ill., Dec. 8, 1846, son of John Good and Narcissus Scroggins, grandson of Nathan Good, a Democrat, farmer, and served in Co. K, 54th Ill. Vol. 1863-5, and lived in the Danville, Ill., Soldiers' Home before his death Feb. 21, 1922.

Children (Good):

180. i. Carrie Bell, b. May 24, 1867, in Neoga, Ill.; m. Byron Vivian Evans.
ii. Loretta Anna, b. Apr. 5, 1869, in Seneca, Mo., d. Nov. 28, 1905, buried in Copperas Cemetery.
iii. Nellie, b. Sept. 1, 1872, in Neoga, Ill.; m. Joseph Ellis (See No. 161 for her story).
iv. William Leonard, b. Oct. 22, 1874, in Neoga, Ill., d. Mar. 20, 1902, buried in Concord Baptist Cemetery.
181. v. Myrtle, b. Dec. 11, 1876, in Neoga, Ill.; m. William Stewart.
182. vi. Stephen VanDeren, b. Feb. 22, 1879, in Neoga, Ill.; m. Ida Elizabeth Owen.
183. vii. Alice Elizabeth, b. Nov. 19, 1881, in Neoga, Ill.; m. (1) Wm. Sims, (2) Dan Cooper.
viii. Maud Artie, b. Mar. 13, 1883, in Neoga, Ill.; m. May 9, 1907, Wayne Hanson, Address, Gays, Ill.

145. HANNAH MAJOR CROSS[5] (Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 30, 1849, in Big Springs Twp., Shelby Co., Ill., d. Mar. 14, 1924, and buried by her husband in the Neoga Cemetery; m. Nov. 26, 1867, Leonard Franklin Good of Neoga, Ill., b. Oct. 1, 1848, in Ash Grove Twp., Shelby Co., brother of Joseph Good (No. 144), d. June 4, 1916. The Good family is originally from Va. Mr. Good was a farmer, Democrat, Primitive Baptist, Mason, member of G. A. R. and a fire insurance agent. During the Civil War he served in Co. K, 54th Ill. Vol. from Mar. to Nov. 1865. He held the office of constable for twelve years and was delegate to the National Democratic Convention in 1908.

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Children (Good)—all born in Neoga, Ill.:

i. Jennie Narcissus, b. Nov. 14, 1868, has devoted much of her life to school work, in recent years teaching Mathematics in Penn College in Oskaloosa, Iowa; m. June 25, 1902, in Neoga, Ill., LeRoy Corlett, b. Mar. 18, 1875, son of John Edward Corlett, b. in the Isle of Man, then later settled in New York, and Catherine A. Crawford. Mr. Corlett is a former mayor of Oskaloosa, an attorney and participated actively in the World War. Mr. and Mrs. Corlett spent the summer of 1930 in Europe travelling and visiting the scenes Mr. Corlett knew as a soldier. No children.

184. ii. Susan Florence, b. Apr. 17, 1870; m. Lowell Woolery.

iii. John Roger, b. Dec. 22, 1871. He was an Insurance Agent in Neoga till his death Aug. 3, 1912.

185. iv. James Harvey, b. Dec. 22, 1873; m. Margaret Bevley Johnston.

186. v. Minnie Belle, b. Aug. 21, 1875; m. Henry Davidson.

187. vi. Charles William, b. Feb. 5, 1878; m. Lucy Welshimer Jones.

vii. Zelma Maud, b. Dec. 24, 1879, d. July 17, 1881.

188. viii. Mary Elzona, b. Dec. 28, 1881; m. G. A. Fancher.

ix. Verna May, b. Oct. 2, 1883; m. June 14, 1913, Dr. Floyd E. Magee, b. in Danville, Ill., May 8, 1883, son of John A. Magee, Engineer, and Almina Anderson. Mrs. Magee is a graduate of the Neoga High School, University of Ill., B.A. in 1905; University of Ind., M.A. in 1924. Mrs. Magee teaches in the Indianapolis Schools. Address, Spinks Arms.

189. x. Grace Gertrude, b. Dec. 30, 1885; m. Ralph W. Thorpe.

190. xi. Blanche Pearl, b. Sept. 24, 1887; m. Oscar Brown.

xii. Nelson Briggs, b. June 9, 1890; m. Virginia Belt, of Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 22, 1914.

146. ELIJAH FRANKLIN CROSS[5] (Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 26, 1855, d. Aug. 12, 1910; m. Oct. 31, 1902, Kathryn C. Webb, b. Sept. 3, 1869, daughter of George Webb, b. Jan. 30, 1837, and Della M. Agnew, b. Aug. 12, 1847. After the death of Mr. Cross, Mrs. Cross m. Jules Villemour and lives at Stanfield, Oregon. She has a daughter, Madeline, now Mrs. P. G. Rumpel, of Pakowki, Alberta, Canada, who has three daughters and a son.

Children (Cross)—both born at Neoga, Ill.:

i. Della Loretta, b. Apr. 9, 1903; m. June 7, 1925, at Stanfield, Ore., Edgar Arden Hoosier, b. Nov. 27, 1898, at Kenmore, N. D., son of Oliver Morton Hoosier, b. July 10, 1866, and Emma Agnes Strissel, b. Sept. 1, 1872. Mrs. Hoosier attended Billingham Normal School. Mr. Hoosier is owner of a garage and service station at Stanfield, Ore. He was in training during the World War from Aug. till Dec., 1918. Enlisted Aug. 8.

191. ii. Mary Mildred, b. June 17, 1905; m. D. Z. Penney.

147. MARY JANE CROSS[5] (George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 3, 1843, in Coles Co., Ill., d. Jan. 11, 1929, in Owanka, S. D.; m. in Wis. Nov. 5, 1865, James Sylvester Roberts, b. in Penn. Oct. 13, 1842, d. in S. D. Oct. 10, 1913, son of John Roberts and Ann Miller.

Children (Roberts):

192. i. George L., b. Sept. 28, 1866, in Wis.; m. Lillie Williams.
ii. Leone, b. Apr. 15, 1868, in Wis. At home, Owanka, S. D.
193. iii. Berton L., b. Feb. 11, 1870, in Wis.; m. Lucetta Laughery.
iv. Charlie L., b. Mar. 13, 1872, in Wis., d. Apr. 1, 1873.
v. Marshall L., b. Mar. 1, 1874. At home, Owanka, S. D.
194. vi. Lura Janette, b. Nov. 8, 1875; m. Harry Clover Reeves.
195. vii. John S. L., b. Sept. 12, 1877; m. Florence May Comer.
viii. Mary E. L., b. Oct. 29, 1879. At home, Owanka, S. D.
ix. Phoebe L. M., b. Feb. 6, 1883, in Dakota Territory; m. June 8, 1904, Bernice Wilson, b. Mar. 10, 1883, at Rockford, Ill.
196. x. Carrie L., b. Sept. 5, 1885; m. William F. Perrigo.

148. ANDREW JACKSON CROSS[5] (George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 17, 1845, d. in 1886, buried in Ash Grove Cemetery, Clarinda, Iowa; m. Aug. 2, 1874, Isabelle Clark, b. at Chariton, Iowa, in 1856, daughter of John Clark and Elizabeth Little, b. in Greene Co., Ohio, in 1820.

Children (Cross)—born in Chariton, Iowa:

197. i. Lesley Norman, b. Aug. 13, 1877; m. (1) Pearl Hooper, (2) Gertrude Grace Smith, (3) Edith Ridenhour, (4) Minerva Winden.
198. ii. Claude, b. Feb. 18, 1879; m. Harriet E. Welton.

149. MARTHA JANE CROSS[5] (George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 20, 1846, in Fayette, Wis.; m. Oct. 21, 1871, at Fayette, Wis., Harvey Green McDaniels, b. Feb. 15, 1846, at Hillsborough, Ohio, d. Dec. 21, 1921, son of Robert McDaniels and Lucy Wright. Mrs. McDaniels lives with her children at Granby, Mo.

Children (McDaniels):

199. i. Mertina Estella, b. Aug. 1, 1872, in Fayette, Wis.; m. Charles Henry Camerer.
200. ii. Lela Minerva, b. Apr. 28, 1874, in Fayette, Wis.; m. Daniel James Russell.
201. iii. William Alton, b. Feb. 11, 1876, in Blythedale, Mo.; m. Nannie Crouch.
202. iv. George, b. Oct. 21, 1878, in Blythedale, Mo.; m. Ruth Mitchell.

150. SARAH ANN CROSS[5] (David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 13, 1840, d. in 1908; m. (1) John David Cross, b. Nov. 12, 1839, son of James H. Cross and Mary Wyley of Ky.; m. (2) William Chandler.

Children (Cross):

i. John Franklin, b. Aug. 3, 1859, in Ellis Co., Texas.
203. ii. Launa Philetus (Lea), b. July 22, 1864, in Ellis Co., Texas; m. Eldora McReynolds.
iii. Mary Louretta, b. Dec. 29, 1868, at Etna, Ill.; m. John H. Led-

better, b. Nov. 25, 1869, at Washington, Ind., son of Overton Ledbetter and Hannah J. Thomas. Address, Advance, Mo.

151. HARRIET CROSS[5] (David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 16, 1843, in Coles Co., Ill.; m. William Henry Pullen, b. Mar. 1, 1845, in Ill. They moved to Texas with other members of the Cross family, then back to Ill. for a short time and again went to Texas. In Dec. 1876, they started to Ore., arriving there Jan. 10, 1883. Mrs. Pullen died Jan. 21, 1883, at Myrtle Point, Ore., and was buried in Norway Cemetery near there. Mr. Pullen was left a widower with seven small children in a strange land. He married a second time, later moving to Modesto, Calif., where he died and was buried. He had a son and daughter by his second wife, who married again after his death, W. H. Sheets of Modesto, Calif.

Children (Pullen):

204. i. Charles Henry (Hank), b. Aug. 15, 1866, in Fort Worth, Texas; m. (1) Huldah Alice Milton, (2) Mollie Larson.
205. ii. Mary Jane, b. June 15, 1868, in Ill.; m. Daniel Barklow.
206. iii. John Elliott, b. Jan. 25, 1869, in Ill.; m. (1) Emily May Bailey, (2) Ada Mercinda Masters.
207. iv. Harriet Elizabeth, b. Feb. 23, 1872; m. Irvin Miller.
208. v. Catherine Ellen, b. Dec. 26, 1874; m. Sensea Walter Applegate.
209. vi. B. F. (Dick), b. in Kansas, Feb. 12, 1877; m. Pearl Pacific Roberts.
210. vii. Dora Bell, b. July 6, 1880, in Nebraska; m. Robert Smith Minton.

152. GEORGE CROSS[5] (David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 20, 1855, d. Feb. 20, 1917; m. in 1878 at St. Francisville, Ill., Mary Rose Canie, b. 1851, daughter of John Canie and Susan Tangam.

Children (Cross):

i. John David, b. Sept., 1880; m. Oct. 21, 1905, at Lawrenceville, Ill. Ettie Rachel Hanerr, b. Aug. 29, 1870, daughter of Joseph J. Hanerr, b. 1855, and Betsey, b. in 1858. Address, St. Francisville, Ill.
ii. William Lewis, b. 1882.
211. iii. Cora, b. 1884, at St. Thomas, Ind.; m. Peter L. Duby.

153. NANCY JANE CROSS[5] (William,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 21, 1844, at Trowbridge, Ill., d. Oct. 12, 1917; m. (1) Reuben Roby and after his death (2) George McCartney, b. Aug. 7, 1838, d. Feb. 13, 1916, and was buried at Zion Chapel Church, son of John McCartney and Susan Powell.

Children (Roby-McCartney):

i. Annie Roby, b. Apr. 14, 1874; m. Morris W. Storm. Address, LaFayette Ave., Mattoon, Ill.
212. ii. Albertis Roby, b. Jan. 29, 1876; m. Vincent Storm.
iii. Ida May McCartney, b. Sept. 9, 1881, d. Mar. 26, 1900; m. Feb. 20, 1898, Tillis Paskins. One child, Leona, m. Carl Cox, of Urbana, Ill.

iv. Frank McCartney, b. May 5, 1883, d. Sept. 1, 1891.
213. v. Grover McCartney, b. Apr. 2, 1885, near Neoga, Ill.; m. (1) Dola Abbott, (2) Missouri Sutton.
214. vi. Grace McCartney, b. May 1, 1888; m. Joseph Fosbinder.
215. vii. Raymond McCartney, b. June 27, 1892, in Cumberland Co., Ill.; m. Elsie Elliott.

154. GILLA MARGARET CROSS[5] (William,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 22, 1854, d. Jan. 1917; m. William Newton Storm, b. May 12, 1858, son of Hail Columbus Storm and Nancy Price. Mr. Storm m. (2) Ella Storm, wife of John Storm, deceased.

Children (Storm):

216. i. Tracy, b. Sept. 7, 1880, in Big Springs Twp., Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Annie E. Storm.
ii. Otis, b. Oct. 17, 1882, in Big Springs Twp., Shelby Co., Ill., d. in 1923. Death was due indirectly to automobile accident. At the time of his death he was cashier of the Cumberland Co., Bank. He was educated at Valparaiso University, Ind., and also attended the Eastern State Normal School at Charleston, Ill. For some time he was School Principal at Stewardson, Ill. He was greatly loved by pupils, friends and relatives.
217. iii. Foster, b. Sept. 9, 1891, in Ash Grove Twp., Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Bessie Wilson.

155. IDA CROSS[5] (William,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 28, 1859, in Neoga, Ill.; m. June 17, 1890, at Trowbridge, Ill., James Franklin McNamara, b. June 27, 1857, at Danbury, Shelby Co., Ill., son of Patrick McNamara and Annie Goffee. Mr. McNamara works in a factory and lives at 3024 Harrison St., Chicago, Ill.

Children (McNamara)—all born in Chicago, Ill.:

i. James Russell, b. May 12, 1891, d. Jan. 31, 1913.
ii. Henry Orval, b. Nov. 17, 1893, d. Feb. 25, 1900.
iii. Joseph Leo, b. July 18, 1895.
iv. Ambrose William, b. May 4, 1898; m. Jan. 26, 1920, Annie E. Roberts, of Hartford, Conn. Address, 3042 Harrison St., Chicago, Ill.
v. Ignatius Edward, b. Apr. 22, 1899; m. July 14, 1923, in Chicago, Ill. Alice Benita Beamish, b. Nov. 25, 1898, daughter of George Beamish, b. at Hartford, Conn., June 20, 1869, and Georgia Lynn, b. at Lake Erie, Oct. 25, 1873. Mr. McNamara is a sign painter living at 3406 W. Polk St., Chicago, Ill.

156. CHARLES EDWARD CROSS[5] (William,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 9, 1862, near Neoga, Ill.; m. Rose Sheridan, b. Mar. 10, 1868, in Neoga, Ill., daughter of James Sheridan and Mary Gavin. Mr. Cross is General Foreman, Construction S. F. & A. Ry. Address, 4954 Niagara Ave., Ocean Beach, Calif.

Children (Cross):

i. Mary Donzella, b. Feb. 1, 1891, Neoga, Ill.: m. Aug. 22, 1925. Thomas Francis Boyle, b. July 7, 1883, in Montour Falls, N. Y.,

son of Thomas Boyle, b. in 1860, and Hannah Fitzgerald, b. Sept. 2, 1860. She attended Colo. State Teachers College and University of Calif. Mr. Boyle attended Cornell and is a salesman for D. T. Williams Valve Co. Address, 2900 Harrison Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.

218. ii. Dorr Edward, b. Aug. 16, 1892, in Neoga, Ill.; m. Bertha Viola Stewart.

iii. Eugenia, b. June 11, 1895, in Neoga, Ill., a singer on Keith's Vaudeville Circuit. Stage name—Jeanne LaCrosse. Address, National Vaudeville Artist's Club, 229 W. 46th St., New York City.

iv. Paul, b. May 30, 1897, in Neoga, Ill.

v. Mary, b. July 29, 1900, in Colo., d. at six months.

vi. Bert, b. Dec. 23, 1901, in El Reno, Okla.

vii. Bernadett, b. Jan. 21, 1908, in Colo.

157. LANA CROSS[5] (John,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 20, 1848, in Coles Co., Ill., d. Jan. 25, 1930; m. Oct. 1, 1867, at Charleston, Coles Co., Ill., Miles Worley Davis, b. Sept. 16, 1849, in Shelby Co., Ill., son of Joel Davis, b. July 24, 1819, and Polly Ann Hart, b. Oct. 12, 1825.

Children (Davis):

219. i. James Overstreet, b. June 13, 1868, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Elsie May Nolan.

220. ii. Julia Bell, b. Mar. 23, 1870, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Louis C. Slagle.

iii. Minnie Ann, b. Jan. 11, 1874, in Coles Co., Ill.; m. Mike Dornblazer, 221 No. Duglas, Mattoon, Ill.

iv. Margaret Ellen, b. Dec. 18, 1877, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Samuel Greenhood, Peoria, Ill.

v. Robert Lincoln, b. June 9, 1886, at Mattoon, Ill., d. June 11, 1928, buried in Dodge Grove Cemetery.

158. JOHN JAMES CROSS[5] (John,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 23, 1849, d. Nov. 12, 1929 (killed by a train near Charleston, Ill.); m. Aug. 13, 1875, at Arcola, Ill., Sarah Ellen (Sadie) Shields, b. Sept. 30, 1856, daughter of Rev. Jesse Shields (No. 140), a Baptist preacher, b. Feb. 19, 1828, and Frances Marrs, b. Mar. 12, 1827. Mrs. Cross lives with her daughter, Bessie, at 34 E. Springfield Ave., Champaign, Ill.

Children (Cross)—all born at Gays, Ill.:

221. i. Jesse Elmer, b. Oct. 1, 1876; m. Emma Alice Moore.

ii. George Henry, b. Jan. 9, 1879, d. June 29, 1880.

222. iii. Emma Gertrude, b. June 4, 1881; m. Daniel Edgar Moore.

iv. Gracie Edith, b. June 8, 1884, d. July 14, 1884.

v. Andrew William, b. June 28, 1885; m. Cora Niel in 1909. They live at 916 5th St., Greely, Colo., and have an adopted daughter.

vi. John Marrs, b. July 25, 1889; m. Violet Emily McKibbon of Arcola, Ill. They have three children.

223. vii. Robert, b. Nov. 14, 1893; m. Catherine Ogden Fitch.

viii. Bessie Florence, b. Aug. 10, 1896; m. John Brazelton in 1916. She has a son, b. Feb. 2, 1918.

159. WILLIAM (BILL) CROSS[5] (John,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May, 1852, in Coles Co., Ill., d. Sept. 12, 1887; m. Jan. 8, 1878, Laura McAllister, b. Sept. 1, 1855, in Clay Co., Ind., daughter of John McAllister, b. Aug. 31, 1823, and Meloney Neighbor, b. Sept. 29, 1830. Mrs. Laura Cross lives at Neoga, Ill.

Children (Cross)—born in Shelby Co., Ill.:

224. i. Mollie Belle, b. Oct. 18, 1878; m. Owen William Colbert.

160. SAM ELLIS[5] (Sarah,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 3, 1856, in Coles Co., Ill., d. Mar. 19, 1922; m. Clara Ellen Speakman, b. Feb. 16, 1855, in Ohio, daughter of William Speakman and Ruan Hinds.

Children (Ellis)—all born in Coles Co., Ill.:

225. i. Lillie Belle, b. Jan. 19, 1881; m. Franklin Marion Stewart.
ii. Verna Elmer, b. June, 1882, d. Nov. 13, 1893.
226. iii. Sara Ann, b. Oct. 27, 1883; m. Otto Paskins.
227. iv. Margaret Gertrude, b. July 10, 1886; m. Edmund Wesley Gordon.
v. Owen Carl, b. Dec. 28, 1898; m. Aug. 28, 1919, Leah Storm, b. May 26, 1901, in Shelby Co., Ill., daughter of Otto Storm, b. Apr. 12, 1875, and Pearl Stierwalt, b. June 27, 1881. He is a mechanic at Neoga, Ill.

161. JOSEPH ELLIS[5] (Sarah,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 23, 1859, in Coles Co., Ill.; m. (1) Mattie Cross (138) b. Apr. 1, 1863, d. Feb. 2, 1888; (2) Rosa Lee Waggoner, daughter of ——— Waggoner and Emma Shores who d. about May, 1905; (3) Nov. 12, 1909, in Shelby Co., Ill., Nellie Good (114), b. Sept. 1, 1872. Address, Beebe, Ark.

Children (Ellis):

(1) by first wife:
228. i. Lula Myrtle, b. May 25, 1883, in Coles Co., Ill.; m. Arthur Janes.
(2) by second wife:
229. ii. Raymond Bryan, b. Dec. 8, 1896, in Coles Co., Ill.; m. Clara L. Goodman.
(3) by third wife:
iii. Emery Estyl, b. about Dec. 1, 1914, at Beebe, Ark.
iv. Joe Henry, b. ———, at Beebe, Ark.

162. DAVID ELLIS[5] (Sarah,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 22, 1866, in Ellis Co., Texas, d. at Neoga, Ill., July 16, 1930, after a short illness following a paralytic stroke; m. (1) Oct. 13, 1887, at Neoga, Ill., Lavina Bolin, b. Jan. 12, 1865, d. Dec. 17, 1916, daughter of Ale Bolin and Margaret Higgins; m. (2) Oct. 30, 1918, Leona (Hummel) Hatch. Mr. Ellis took an active part in the affairs of his community, having served as road commissioner and

member of school board. At the time of his death he was owner of a grocery store in Neoga. He was buried in the Concord Cemetery.

Children (Ellis)—all born in Coles Co., Ill.:

i. Orville C., b. July 20, 1888; m. Jan. 19, 1911, Eva Ray, b. Sept. 24, 1886, in Coles Co. They live on a farm near Neoga.
230. ii. Wilbert Earl, b. Feb. 25, 1890; m. Harriet Pearl Janes.
231. iii. Arthur Thirl, b. May 15, 1892; m. Folin DeBuhr.
iv. Alma F., b. Aug. 15, 1885, d. Mar. 7, 1896.

163. MARION CROSS[5] (James,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 24, 1850, in Fort Worth, Texas, d. July 12, 1871; m. in 1884, Jennie Zeigler, b. Jan. 12, 1857, in Lancaster, Ohio, daughter of Elias Zeigler and Harriet Lawrence.

Child (Cross):

232. i. Verna May, b. Sept. 10, 1884; m. William Pettyjohn.

164. JOHN HENRY CROSS[5] (James,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 3, 1866, in Ellis Co., Texas; m. Feb. 19, 1890, at Macon, Ill., Alice Loretta Gibson, b. June 7, 1865, in Logan, Ohio, daughter of Oliver Gibson, b. Jan. 14, 1839, and Sarah Hansel, b. Oct. 21, 1839. Address, Macon, Ill., R. No. 1.

Children (Cross):

i. Bessie Lenna, b. Dec. 5, 1892, at Yantesville, Ill., d. Mar. 11, 1899.
ii. Myrtle Blanch, b. July 9, 1894, at Yantesville, Ill.; m. Feb. 25, 1920, at Decatur, Ill., Joseph Lamb, b. Mar. 23, 1892, at Moweaqua, Ill. a farmer living at Moweaqua, Ill. They have a daughter, b. Dec. 21, 1929.
iii. Lenna Hazel, b. Feb. 20, 1899, at Moweaqua, Ill., d. Mar. 11, 1907.
233. iv. Ethel May, b. Dec. 24, 1900, at Moweaqua; m. Rollie E. Scribner.
v. Edward Oliver, b. Aug. 4, 1903, at Moweaqua, enlisted in the army at Decatur, Ill., Dec. 30, 1925. After being at Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis he was transferred to Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas.
vi. Homer John, b. Aug. 5, 1905, at Macon, Ill., d. at 18 years.
vii. Maude Alice, b. Aug. 25, 1909, graduated at Moweaqua High School.

165. MINNIE BELLE CROSS[5] (James,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 9, 1873, in Coles Co., Ill.; m. Jan. 21, 1891, at Decatur, Samuel Ernest Goodwin, b. Nov. 3, 1868, in Moweaqua, Ill., son of Thomas Goodwin and Martha Wood, b. Oct. 20, 1840. Present address 1629 North Morgan Street, Decatur, Ill., where he is employed in the Muller factory.

Children (Goodwin)—born in Moweaqua, Ill.:

i. Fern Burns, b. Apr. 23, 1893.
ii. Earl, b. Mar. 3, 1896.

166. SARAH CATHERINE (KATE) CROSS[5] (Alexander,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 27, 1869, at Neoga, Ill.; m. Mar. 2, 1886, at Toledo, Ill., Charles Henry Parker, b. July 28, 1864, at Neoga, Ill., son of Ira Parker and Nancy McCartney, b. Aug. 3, 1841. He is a farmer living near Neoga, Ill.

Children (Parker)—all born near Neoga, Ill.:

i. Charles William, b. Feb. 1, 1888, d.
234. ii. Ira Lindon, b. Sept. 27, 1889; m. Agnes Janes.
iii. James Foster, b. Apr. 7, 1893, farmer near Neoga.
235. iv. Naoma, b. Jan. 1, 1897; m. (1) —— Lockhart, (2) James Arnold Funkhouser.
v. Alice Ruth, b. Sept. 23, 1900, d.
vi. Edna, b. Nov. 29, 1905, bookkeeper at Neoga.
vii. Lucile, b. Apr. 11, 1909, at home.

167. HENRIETTA (ETTA) CROSS[5] (Alexander,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 1, 1872, in Cumberland Co., Ill.; m. in 1890 at Toledo, Ill., George Jones, b. Dec. 4, 1869, son of Levi Jones of Jackson Co., Ind., and Martha Waite. Address, Gays, Ill.

Children (Jones)—all born in Cumberland Co., Ill.:

236. i. May, b. May 27, 1891; m. Elza Goar.
237. ii. Logan Harold, b. May 12, 1900; m. Izora Louise Templeton.
iii. Georgie Lorene, b. June 30, 1907.
iv. James, b. Mar. 2, 1912.

168. JAMES CROSS[5] (Alexander,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 4, 1874, in Neoga, Ill.; m. Mar. 22, 1899, at Neoga, Ill., Artie Florence Janes, b. Jan. 16, 1878, at Paradise, Ill., daughter of Ferris Janes, b. Feb. 14, 1853, and Elizabeth Scott, b. June 22, 1854. Mr. Cross is a farmer living at Etna, Ill.

Children (Cross)—all born at Neoga, Ill.:

238. i. Florence Leah, b. July 28, 1900; m. Basil Emmet Wattles.
239. ii. Glenn C., b. Dec. 25, 1903; m. Eunice Midgely.
240. iii. Viola Fay, b. Oct. 29, 1907; m. George Haskett.
iv. Francis Carrol, b. Dec. 9, 1914.

169. MARY FRANCES CROSS[5] (Alexander,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 23, 1877, in Cumberland Co., Ill.; m. Apr. 14, 1900, in Coles Co., Ill., William Washington Jones, b. Jan. 14, 1856, in Fulton Co., Ill., son of Andrew Jackson Jones and Rhoda Ann Gibbs, grandson of Elias Gibbs. Address, Gays, Ill.

Children (Jones)—all born in Coles Co., Ill.:

i. Opal, b. July 5, 1903; m. Francis Campbell, lives at 518 N. Ill. St., Indianapolis, Ind.

ii. Alex Franklin, b. May 25, 1907.
iii. Mary Frances, b. Jan. 19, 1909.
iv. Marion Woodrow, b. Aug. 2, 1914.

170. WINNIE FLORENCE CROSS[5] (Alexander,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 30, 1884, in Neoga, Ill., d. July 10, 1907; m. Jan. 9, 1901, at Neoga, Ill., Nicholas Fosbinder, b. Mar. 25, 1880, d. Dec. 15, 1906, son of William Fosbinder, b. Aug. 2, 1837, and wife Anna, b. Aug. 6, 1846.

Children (Fosbinder)—born in Neoga, Ill.:

i. Lola, b. Jan. 30, 1904. Address, 853 E. 40th St., Chicago, Ill.

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171. HARRIET (HALLIE) VANDEREN[6] (Mary Ann,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 18, 1865, in Shelby Co., Ill., d. Nov. 18, 1928; m. John H. Storm, b. Mar. 2, 1863 (called "John Lum" to distinguish him from William N. called "Lum"), son of Columbus H. Storm, b. Dec. 9, 1829, and Nancy Price, b. Feb. 2, 1831. Mr. Storm has held Twp. offices, tax collector and road commissioner at Neoga, Ill.

Children (Storm)—all born in Neoga, Ill.:

241. i. Claud Edward, b. Feb. 27, 1887; m. Lena Frances Price.
ii. Forrest VanDeren, b. May 3, 1888, d. July 27, 1888.
iii. Esta Mayron, b. Oct. 29, 1890, d. Feb. 18, 1894.
242. iv. Zola Bessie, b. Sept. 18, 1893; m. Fount Wilson.

172. GEORGE MARION VANDEREN[6] (Mary Ann,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 14, 1867, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Jan. 9, 1900, Leona Beatty, b. Dec. 31, 1870, in Clay Co., Ind., daughter of James R. Beatty and Anna Phillips, granddaughter of Marshall Beatty and Mary Payton, also of John Phillips and Harriet Price. Mr. VanDeren is a farmer and has lived at Staunton, Ind., many years. He represents the Rochester Nurseries. Address, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 4.

Children (VanDeren)—all born in Staunton, Ind.:

i. Mary Ann, b. Oct. 30, 1900.
ii. Joe C., b. June 17, 1902; m. Faye Jackson, Jan. 9, 1927, daughter of Howard and Emma Jackson. One child, Marilyn, b. May 19, 1930.
iii. Lester, b. Nov. 25, 1904.
iv. Helen J., b. Oct. 31, 1906, d. Dec. 25, 1926.

173. JAMES HARVEY YOUNG[6] (Sarah Ann,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 18, 1866, in Shelby Co., Ill., d. Aug. 6,

1925; m. Apr. 2, 1890, Annie Laura McLaughlin, b. Apr. 8, 1868, in Shelby Co., Ill., d. Sept. 27, 1916.

Children (Young)—all born in Shelby Co., Ill.:

243. i. Garret Harvey, b. Jan. 16, 1891; m. Annie Marie Thedick.
244. ii. Faye, b. Mar. 21, 1893; m. Frank Pugsley.
245. iii. Raymond, b. Oct. 8, 1895; m. Lydia Becker.
iv. Frankie Mildred, b. Jan. 3, 1900; d. June 30, 1918.
v. Edward Stanley, b. Apr. 21, 1908.
vi. Clarence Woodrow, b. June 17, 1915.

174. JANE ELIZABETH YOUNG[6] (Sarah Ann,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 25, 1868, in Shelby Co., Ill., d. May 19, 1903, buried in St. Patrick's Cemetery; m. Feb. 13, 1897, John Dougherty, b. July 7, 1857, in Clarion Co., Penn., d. June 20, 1927.

Children (Dougherty):

i. Henry D., b. Feb. 20, 1901; m. Nov. 27, 1924, Lena Craig. They have a son, b. May 3, 1926. Address, 3414 Franklin Blvd., Chicago, Ill.

175. SAMUEL EDWARD YOUNG[6] (Sarah Ann,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 25, 1875, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Oct. 26, 1897, Nellie A. Ferguson, b. Feb. 26, 1876, in Shelby Co., Ill.

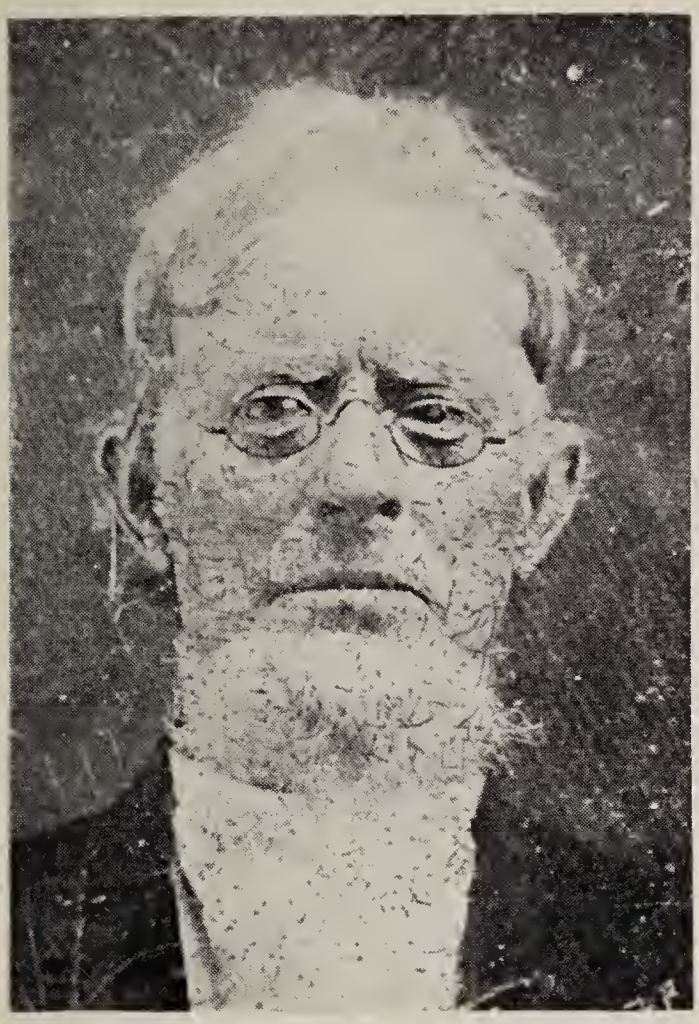
Children (Young)—all born in Shelby Co., Ill.:

i. Sarah Marie, b. June 25, 1899.
ii. Opal, b. Dec. 20, 1900; m. July 13, 1929, Laurence Young, b. Jan. 29, 1902. They live in Chicago.
246. iii. Oma Loretta, b. Sept. 27, 1902; m. Willis O. True.
247. iv. Edna, b. July 26, 1904; m. Estal Burton.
v. Harry Lucas, b. Sept. 26, 1908.
vi. Mabel Cecelia, b. July 27, 1910.
vii. Oscar Loren, b. Aug. 17, 1913.
viii. Samuel Laverne, b. Aug. 15, 1915, d. Dec. 27, 1920.
ix. Forrest Dale, b. June 11, 1921.

176. GEORGE W. CROSS[6] (David J.,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William,[1]), b. Jan. 22, 1886, at Neoga, Ill.; m. (1) ——— by whom he had one child, Mary Elizabeth; m. (2) Oct. 3, 1916, at Eldorado, Kan., Zada Grace Bayles, b. Jan. 9, 1891, at Long Island, Kan., daughter of Matthew H. Bayles, b. Feb. 17, 1864, at Jacksonville, Ill., and Jessie Florence Halliday, b. Nov. 3, 1871. Mr. Cross attended the Austin College at Effingham, Ill., and Valparaiso University. He is a section foreman on the Rock Island R. R. Address, Box 622, Limon, Colo.

Children (Cross):

i. Mary Elizabeth, b. Dec. 15, 1911, at Chicago, Ill. Lives at Mt. Carmel, Ill.



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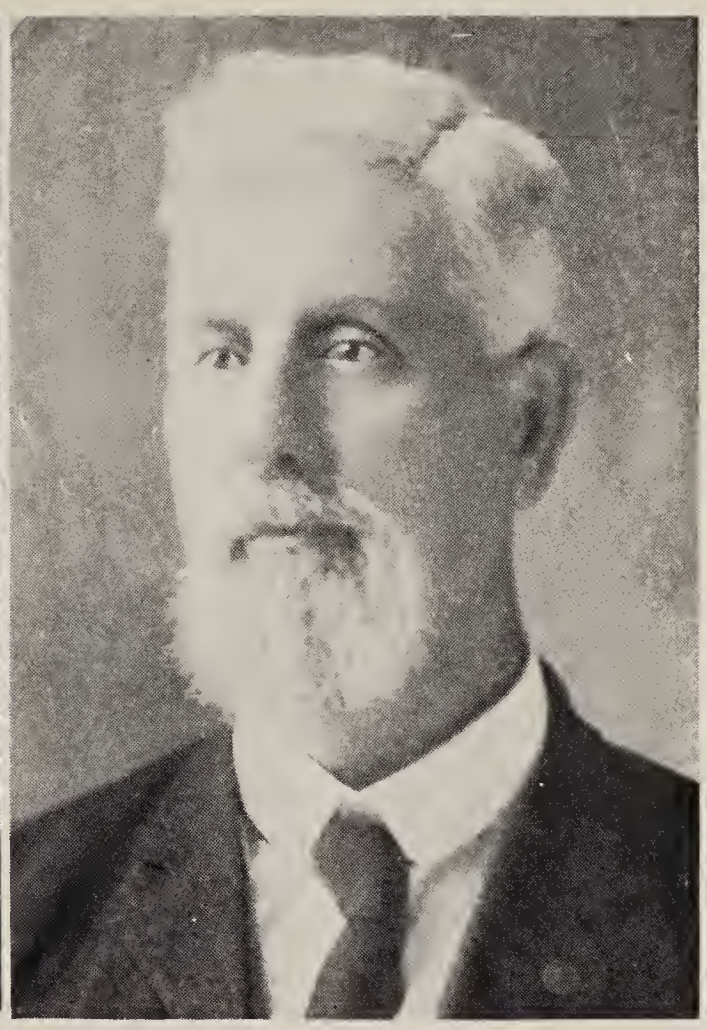

JAMES HARVEY CROSS

Stephen Anthony Cross and sons, Roger (on his right) and James (on his left).

ii. Margaretta, b. Sept. 7, 1917, at Newton, Kan.
iii. James Hamilton, b. May 19, 1919, at Hutchinson, Kan.
iv. Betty Jean, b. Jan. 2, 1922, at Sterling, Kan.

177. STEPHEN ANTHONY CROSS[6] (James Harvey,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 14, 1881, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Mar. 27, 1915, in Chicago, Ill., Edna Marie Smith, b. Jan. 20, 1884, in Forrest, Ill., daughter of William Addison Smith and Carrie A. Twitchell. Mr. Cross is an attorney at law, having secured his education at Valparaiso University and the Chicago Kent College of Law. Address, 5050 N. St. Louis Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Children (Cross)—born in Chicago, Ill.:

i. James Addison, b. July 8, 1916.
ii. Roger Bronson, b. July 8, 1916.

178. MARY EMMA (MAYME) CROSS[6] (James Harvey,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 22, 1884, in Big Springs Twp., Shelby Co., Ill.; m. June 8, 1912, at Effingham, Ill., Dr. Clarence Oliver Norris, b. Dec. 4, 1882, at Waltonville, Ill., son of Joseph D. Norris, b. Jan. 31, 1850, and Drusilla Jane Gilbert, b. July 5, 1855. Mrs. Norris attended Eastern Ill. Normal, University of Ill., and Valparaiso University. Address, Arthur, Ill.

Children (Norris):

i. Drusilla Jane, b. Dec. 31, 1913, in Chicago, Ill.
ii. Charles Oliver, b. Dec. 16, 1917, in Arthur, Ill.

179. HARVEY BRITTON CROSS[6] (James Harvey,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 12, 1888, in Big Springs Twp., Shelby County, Ill.; m. (1) Apr. 17, 1909, Edith Leah Curry, b. Aug. 22, 1890, in Edgerton, Ohio; m. (2) Aug. 17, 1919, at Arthur, Ill., Erin Kinney, b. June 30, 1889, at Macon, Texas, daughter of Thomas Kinney, b. June 10, 1856, and Emma Hamet, b. Sept. 6, 1861. During the war Mr. Cross served in the 13th Field Artillery, 4th Div. as a private for twenty months. He attended the Chicago Kent College of Law in 1915 and is now an attorney in Chicago with offices at 118 W. Ohio St.

Children (Cross):

i. Elaine, b. Dec. 31, 1921, in Gary, Ind.
ii. James Harvey, b. May 7, 1924, in Chicago, Ill.

180. CARRIE BELLE GOOD[6] (Elizabeth Jane,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 24, 1867, in Neoga, Ill. She taught school four years in Shelby and Cumberland counties, before she m.

Mar. 23, 1890, Byron Vivian Evans, b. July 24, 1859, d. Dec. 4, 1929, at Dermott, Ark., son of John Evans and Tabitha Ellen Beck, grandson of Vivian and Emily Beck, also of Thomas and Catherine Evans. The Evans family is originally from Maryland. Mr. Evans is a Republican and a farmer, living for years near Neoga, Ill., moving to Dermott, Ark., in Dec., 1911.

Children (Evans)—all born near Neoga, Ill.:

248. i. Roscoe Beryl, b. Apr. 3, 1891; m. Mamie Lee Mercer.
ii. Neva Ruth, b. Nov. 16, 1894; m. Feb. 3, 1925, at Dermott, Ark., Preston Allen Veasey, b. Sept. 22, 1894, at Wilmar, Ark., son of Andrew J. Veasey, b. Sept. 7, 1855, and Martha Thompson, b. Aug. 18, 1857. He was R. R. Agent and Telegrapher at Bigelow and at one time Mayor of the town. Address, 417 Hudson Lane, Monroe, La.
249. iii. Helen Marie, b. Oct. 2, 1896; m. M. D. Hart.
250. iv. Leonard V., b. June 28, 1899; m. Scottie Courtney.
v. Loy William, b. Nov. 4, 1905, at home, Dermott, Ark. Graduate of Dermott High School, attended 3 years Henderson-Brown College at Arkadelphia, Ark. Works with Gas and Fuel Co., at Little Rock.

181. MYRTLE GOOD[6] (Elizabeth Jane,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 11, 1876, in Neoga, Ill., d. Apr. 15, 1923, at Oilton, Okla.; m. Apr. 3, 1896, William Stewart, b. June 3, 1872, in Neoga, Ill., son of William Duncan Stewart and Hannah Jane Janes, grandson of Charles Stewart and Cala Ann Degenerat, also of Andrew Janes and Rhoda Ann Gibbs. The Stewart family is from Va. Last address, Casey, Okla.

Children (Stewart):

i. Hazel Blanche, b. Oct. 18, 1897, in Neoga, Ill.; m. Charles C. Allen. Address, Chandler, Okla.
ii. Mildred Nadine, b. Dec. 11, 1905; m. Mr. Redfield and lives with her father at Casey, Okla. One child, Hazel Nadine, b. July 24, 1923.
iii. William Duncan, b. Nov. 14, 1908, at Skiatook, Okla. At home, Casey, Okla.

182. STEPHEN VANDEREN GOOD[6] (Elizabeth Jane,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 22, 1879, in Neoga, Ill.; m. Sept. 8, 1909, in Chicago, Ill., Ida Elizabeth Owens, b. Jan. 16, 1884, at Reedsburg, Wis., daughter of William Owens and Sidney Breese Gibbs. Mr. Good is a farmer living near Neoga, Ill.

Children (Good):

i. Ruth, b. June 29, 1910, in Chicago, Ill.
ii. Steven George, b. Oct. 29, 1911, in Neoga, Ill.
iii. Joseph VanDeren, b. Sept. 18, 1913, in Neoga, Ill.
iv. Myrtle Grace, b. Mar. 3, 1915, in Neoga, Ill.
v. William Gibbs, b. Dec. 12, 1917, in Neoga, Ill.

183. ALICE ELIZABETH GOOD[6] (Elizabeth Jane,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 19, 1881, in Neoga, Ill., d. June 9, 1915; m. (1) Aug. 30, 1898, in Toledo, Ill., William Sims, son of William Sims and Phoebe Hiatt, grandson of William Sims and of George Hiatt. He was a Methodist and a Democrat, d. Oct. 22, 1906 of typhoid fever. Mrs. Sims m. (2) Oct. 20, 1907, at St. John, Kan., Dan Cooper, b. June 24, 1882, in St. John, Kan.

Children (Sims)—born in Neoga, Ill.:

i. Gilbert, b. Sept. 4, 1900; m., lives at Gays, Ill., has one child.
ii. Lucile, b. Aug. 27, 1903; m. Noble Ralston, lives at Neoga, Ill., has two children.

184. SUSAN FLORENCE GOOD[6] (Hannah Major,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 17, 1870, in Neoga, Ill. After attending country school she completed her education in college at Lebanon, Ohio. She taught school before and after her marriage to Lowell Woolery of Neoga, Ill., son of Henry Wickliff Woolery and Martha Ann Brothers, grandson of Abraham Woolery and Martha Adams, and also of Robert Brothers and Julia Ann Hensley. The Woolery family is originally from Ky. Mr. Woolery is a druggist at Neoga, Ill.

Child (Woolery)—born in Neoga, Ill.:

251. i. Frances Fay, b. Jan. 25, 1906, adopted in 1914, daughter of Mary Elzona Good (No. 188); m. Philip Welshimer.

185. JAMES HARVEY GOOD,[6] (Hannah Major,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 22, 1873, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Feb. 20, 1900, Margaret Bevley Johnston, b. Apr. 14, 1872, at Glenwood, Mo., daughter of James Henry Johnston and Margaret Virginia Crockett. Mr. Good is a Democrat, a Methodist, a 32nd degree Mason, and K. of P. He served during the Spanish-American War in Co. D, Second Ill. Vol. Inf. He has spent his entire life in the Fire Ins. Business, following the footsteps of his father who pioneered in the Fire Insurance business in 1880. At present is located in a General Agency covering the states of Mo. and Kan. with offices in Kansas City, Mo.

Child (Good)—born in Sullivan, Ill.:

i. James Leonard, b. July 24, 1904, graduate of Kansas University and associated with his father in the Insurance Business with offices at 328 Dwight Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

186. MINNIE BELLE GOOD[6] (Hannah Major,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 21, 1875, in Neoga, Ill.; m. Nov. 13, 1895, in St. Louis, Mo., Henry P. Davidson, b. Oct. 16, 1873, in St.

Louis, Mo., son of Henry Davidson and Annie Gruber, who was born on the Atlantic Ocean while her parents were en route from Wittenberg, Germany, to America. He is a grandson of Philip and Sophia Gruber, and of Samuel Davidson and Margaret Shawl. The Davidson family is from Ohio. Mr. Davidson is a Democrat, Methodist and member of N. C. T., M. W. A. and I. O. O. F. lodges. He is a traveling salesman and proprietor of a barber shop at Neoga, Ill.

Children (Davidson)—born in Neoga, Ill.:

252. i. Ruth Mildred, b. Dec. 12, 1896; m. Guy Cottle.

187. CHARLES WILLIAM GOOD[6] (Hannah Major,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 5, 1878, in Neoga, Ill.; m. May 15, 1901, at Neoga, Lucy Welshimer Jones, b. Feb. 1, 1879, in Neoga, daughter of Hamlin Jones, b. Jan. 19, 1849, and Lucy Welshimer, b. July 18, 1855. Mr. Good served in the Spanish-American War with Co. E, 4th Ill. Vol. He attended the National Normal University at Lebanon, Ohio. He is an investment banker in Chicago. Address, The Gladstone Hotel.

Children (Good)—born in Chillicothe, Mo.:

i. Dorothy, b. Aug. 5, 1905, d. May 23, 1907.
ii. Charles Hamlin, b. June 22, 1908. Ph.B., U. of Chicago, 1930, Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity.

188. MARY ELZONA GOOD[6] (Hannah Major,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 28, 1881, in Neoga, Ill.; m. June 1, 1900, in Chicago, Ill., George Albin Fancher, b. Sept. 27, 1880, d. July 7, 1929, son of Henry Clay Fancher and Mary Caledonna Albin of Cumberland Co., Ill. Mr. Fancher served in Spanish-American War. Mrs. Fancher lives in Granite City, Ill.

Children (Fancher)—all born in Neoga, Ill.:

253. i. Helen Mary, b. Apr. 9, 1901; m. Homer Howell Hausafus.
ii. Jemmie Mildred, b. Apr. 11, 1903; m. Aug. 18, 1920 at Edwardsville, Ill. Thomas Joseph O'Toole, b. Apr. 29, 1900, in St. Louis, Mo., son of William O'Toole, b. 1865, m. 1890, Catherine ——, b. 1870 and d. May, 1915, in St. Louis. Children: Thomas J., Jr., b. Nov. 15, 1925, in St. Louis, Mo., and Mary Catherine, b. Oct. 26, 1929, in St. Louis. The family now resides in Los Angeles, Calif.
iii. Frances Fay, b. Jan. 25, 1906, adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Woolery (No. 184); m. Philip Welshimer (No. 251).

189. GRACE GERTRUDE GOOD[6] (Hannah Major,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 30, 1885, in Neoga, Ill., graduate of Neoga High School, attended Penn College, Oskaloosa, Iowa, and Illinois Woman's College at Jacksonville, Ill., later taught in

the Neoga High School; d. Aug. 21, 1929, after eight years of illness, during which she was always sweet, generous, patient, and unselfish, buried in Oregon Cemetery on Rock River facing Lorado Taft's statue of Black Hawk. On June 30, 1909, in Neoga, Ill., she married Ralph W. Thorpe, b. June 26, 1881, at Wapella, Ill., son of William Henry Thorpe and Martha Ralofson, grandson of John B. Ralofson and Mary Bierd, and of John Thorpe. The Thorpe family is of English ancestry. Mr. Thorpe is a graduate of Dixon Business College and Illinois School of Pharmacy. Address, Oregon, Ill., where he is a druggist.

Children (Thorpe)—born in Oregon, Ill.:

i. William Good, b. May 11, 1910, student at University of Arizona.

190. BLANCH PEARL GOOD[6] (Hannah Major,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 24, 1887, in Neoga, Ill.; m. June 14, 1914, in Chicago, Ill., Oscar Burton Brown, b. July 31, 1899, at Trills, Ill., son of Otto W. Brown, b. Oct. 17, 1870, and Jennie Kelly, b. Dec. 23, 1871. Mrs. Brown attended the James Millikin University. Address, Indianapolis, Ind.

Children (Brown)—all born in Dixon, Ill.:

i. Hannah Jane, b. Nov. 30, 1916.
ii. Lewis Good, b. Apr. 2, 1918.
iii. Robert Burton, b. July 12, 1919.

191. MARY MILDRED CROSS[6] (Elijah Franklin,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 17, 1905, in Neoga, Ill.; m. Apr. 3, 1924, at Stanfield, Ore., Dillazon Z. Penney, b. June 2, 1898, in Mich., son of Louis L. Penney, b. Jan. 24, 1859, and Emma Pardee, b. Aug. 7, 1864. Mrs. Penney is a graduate of the Stanfield High School. Mr. Penney served in the World War and is at present rural mail carrier at Echo, Ore.

Children (Penney)—born at Stanfield, Ore.:

i. Louis, b. Feb. 8, 1925.
ii. Mildred Fern, b. Feb. 8, 1927.

192. GEORGE L. ROBERTS[6] (Mary Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 28, 1866, in Wis., d. Apr. 8, 1923, in S. D.; m. Lillie Williams, now dead.

Children (Roberts)—born in Owanka, S. D.:

i. Marian Janette, b. Mar. 18, 1910.

193. BERTON LOUIS ROBERTS[6] (Mary Jane,[5] George[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 11, 1870, in Wis.; m. June 27, 1899, at

Castlewood, S. D., Lucetta Laughery, b. June 26, 1870, in Iowa City, Iowa, daughter of Edward Hanson Laughery, b. Nov. 19, 1839, and Margaret Bailey, b. Sept. 28, 1842. Her great grandfather, Thomas Callaghan, ran away from Ireland when only 17 years old at the time of the Revolutionary War, saying he would not fight against America. Address, Bridgeport, Neb.

Children (Roberts):

254. i. James Edward, b. Aug. 5, 1900 in DeSmet, S. D.; m. Leona Calhoun.
255. ii. Lillian Minerva, b. Apr. 4, 1902, in Dempster, S. D.; m. Richard Goertler.
iii. Lucile Margaret, b. and d. Apr. 4, 1902.
256. iv. Myrtle Carrie, b. June 11, 1903, in DeSmet, S. D.; m. Emer Gusman.
257. v. Grace May, b. May 1, 1905, in DeSmet, S. D.; m. Edward Simon.
vi. Phoebe Maud, b. Feb. 6, 1907, in DeSmet, S. D.; m. Stanly Fraser, Sept. 22, 1928. Address, Scott's Bluff, Neb.
vii. Hazel Esther, b. May 19, 1914, in VanTassel, Wyo.

194. LURA JANETTE ROBERTS[6] (Mary Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 8, 1875, in Wis.; m. Aug. 12, 1912, at Rapid City, S. D., Harry Clover Reeves, b. May 5, 1880, in Pandora, Ohio, son of B. M. Reeves, b. June 30, 1850, and Mary Jane Anderson, b. Feb. 26, 1848. He is a farmer living at Owanka, S. D., R. 1.

Children (Reeves)—all born in Owanka, S. D.:

i. Bert McIntyre, b. Feb. 6, 1915.
ii. Minerva Leone, b. July 29, 1917.
iii. Melva Janette b,. Mar. 26, 1921.

195. JOHN S. L. ROBERTS[6] (Mary Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 12, 1877; m. Sept. 25, 1907, Florence May Comer, b. June 15, 1890. Address, Owanka, S. D.

Children (Roberts)—all born in Meade Co., S. D.:

i. Ira S. M., b. Jan. 22, 1908.
ii. Blanche, b. Mar. 6, 1910; m. Herbert Hagemon, one child, Vernita, b. Apr. 28, 1929.
iii. Lura M., b. Sept. 3, 1912.
iv. Norma Drusilla, b. May 17, 1921.
v. Leslie Mae, b. Mar. 1, 1923.

196. CARRIE L. ROBERTS[6] (Mary Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William, [2] William[1]), b. Sept. 5, 1885; m. June 14, 1911, at Rapid City, S. D., William F. Perrigo, b. Sept. 20, 1884, in Iowa. Last address, Rapid City, S. D.

Children (Perrigo)—all born in Rapid City, S. D.:

i. Orvin F., b. Sept. 20, 1912.
ii. Rex J., b. Mar. 12, 1915.
iii. Reeva M., b. Mar. 12, 1915.

iv. Dale R., b. Aug. 29, 1916.
v. Boyd E., b. Sept. 11, 1918.
vi. Neva L., b. Oct. 30, 1920.
vii. Kleurith, b. July 19, 1923.

197. LESLEY NORMAN CROSS[6] (Andrew Jackson,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 13, 1877, in Chariton, Iowa; m. (1) Pearl Hooper; (2) June 24, 1902, Gertrude Grace Smith, daughter of George and Margaret Smith, b. Aug. 18, 1884, and mother of his only child. Later Mr. Cross m. (3) Edith Ridenour and (4) Mina Winden. Address, Clarinda, Iowa.

Children (Cross)—born in Clarinda, Iowa:

258. i. Claudia Thelma, b. Apr. 26, 1903; m. J. W. Caldwell.

198. CLAUDE CROSS[6] (Andrew Jackson,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 18, 1879, in Chariton, Iowa; m. Feb. 18, 1898, at Clarinda, Iowa, Harriet E. Welton, b. May 14, 1881, in Bedford, Iowa, daughter of Oren Welton and Alice Brown. Mr. Cross is a Democrat and member of the Christian Church. Address, 446 S. 10th St., Clarinda, Iowa.

Children (Cross)—all born in Clarinda, Iowa:

i. Norma, b. Aug. 31, 1898; m. Arthur Updike. Address, East Main, Clarinda, Iowa.
ii. Clifford (Mick), b. Dec. 15, 1899; m. Ila ———. Children, Cloris Corinne, b. May 5, 1924, and Cloral Dean, b. May 7, 1926. Address, c/o Swift Co., Shenandoah, Iowa.
iii. Harold, b. Aug. 24, 1904, d.
iv. Gerald, b. Aug. 24, 1904, d.
v. Fred, b. Aug. 22, 1905.
vi. Fern, b. Sept. 2, 1907.
vii. Dave Oren, b. May 14, 1909.
viii. Jerrine, b. May 26, 1911.
ix. Darlene, b. July 31, 1913.
x. June, b. Feb. 17, 1915.
xi. Burtice, b. Apr. 29, 1917.

199. MERTINA ESTELLA McDANIELS[6] (Martha Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 1, 1872, at Fayette, LaFayette Co., Wis.; m. Feb. 12, 1895, at Granby, Mo., Charles Henry Camerer, b. May 28, 1866, in Carlton, Ill., son of James Kennedy Camerer and Theophelia Treskoski, daughter of Boldethelis Treskoski, from Poland, who lived to be ninety years old but would never let his American family know about his relatives in Poland. Mr. Camerer is a farmer near Granby, Mo.

Children (Camerer)—all born near Granby, Mo.:

259. i. Harvey Kennedy, b. Dec. 6, 1895; m. Essie Lee Lemons.
260. ii. Gustave Alton, m. Goldie Grace White.

261. iii. Delila Violet (Lila), b. Jan. 30, 1899; m. Joe Young.
262. iv. Clyde Herman, b. July 5, 1901; m. Lula Bonnie White.
v. Bernice, d. at age of six months, buried in Greenwood Cemetery at Granby, Mo.

200. LELA MINERVA McDANIELS[6] (Martha Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 26, 1874, at Fayette, LaFayette Co., Wis.; m. July 11, 1900, at Neosho, Mo., Daniel James Russell, b. Apr. 21, 1875, in Marshall Co., Ind., son of Calvin Luther Russell, a farmer, and Martha Jane Parks. He is a Democrat and has lived at his present address forty-five years. Address, Granby, Mo.

Children (Russell)—all born at Granby, Mo.:

263. i. Ethel Jane, b. Mar. 13, 1902; m. Virgil Harrison Anderson.
ii. Eula Vasta, b. July 2, 1903.
iii. Myrtle Celeste, b. Sept. 2, 1905.
iv. Frank Leo, b. Sept. 14, 1911.

201. WILLIAM ALTON McDANIELS[6] (Martha Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 11, 1876, in Blythedale, Mo.; m. Aug. 5, 1900, at Granby, Mo., Nannie Crouch, b. Dec. 31, 1879, at Granby, Mo., daughter of Samuel Crouch, b. Mar. 10, 1855, and Susan Smith, b. June 11, 1854. He is a carpenter now living at Granby, Mo.

Children (McDaniels)—all born at Granby, Mo.:

264. i. Clarence Samuel, b. June 23, 1902; m. Wilma Poole.
ii. Roy Otto, b. Dec. 16, 1904.
iii. Sue Martha, b. July 13, 1907.
iv. Floyd Monroe, b. Feb. 20, 1912.
v. Lucile Loretta, b. Apr. 13, 1914.
vi. Glen Halleck, b. Sept. 20, 1916.
vii. Earl Crouch, b. Oct. 1, 1918.
viii. Ebea Nadine, b. Feb. 12, 1921.

202. GEORGE McDANIELS[6] (Martha Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 21, 1878, at Blythedale, Mo., d. Dec. 21, 1920; m. Feb. 7, 1902, at Granby, Mo., Ruth Mitchell, b. in 1884.

Children (McDaniels)—all born at Granby, Mo.:

i. Wilbur, b. Nov. 9, 1902.
ii. Selwyn, b. Jan. 24, 1903.
iii. Fred, b. Dec. 18, 1905.
iv. Lura, b. June 26, 1912.
v. Eileen, b. Apr. 3, 1915.
vi. George, b. Feb. 20, 1920.

203. LAUNA PHILETUS (LEA) CROSS[6] (Sarah Ann,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 22, 1864, in Ellis Co., Texas;

m. July 17, 1892, at Poseyville, Ind., Eldora McReynolds, b. in Hoopston, Ill., Apr. 5, 1874, daughter of Joseph Marion McReynolds, b. July 18, 1842, and Sarah Jane Gambrel, b. June 12, 1845. He is a farmer living at Owensville, Ind.

Children (Cross):

265. i. Mabel Florence, b. Aug. 12, 1893, at Poseyville, Ind.; m. Charles Chitty.
266. ii. Myrtle Irene, b. Aug. 24, 1895, in Gibson Co., Ind.; m. Pressly Carl Garret.
267. iii. Aline Victoria, b. July 25, 1898, at Poseyville, Ind.; m. Lawrence Lloyd Garret.
268. iv. Walter Phineas, b. June 7, 1904, at Grayville, Ill.; m. Emma Elizabeth Devin.

204. CHARLES HENRY (HANK) PULLEN[6] (Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 15, 1866, in Fort Worth, Texas; m. Jan. 1, 1893, at Centerville, Wash., Huldah Alice Milton, b. Mar. 29, 1863, in Linn Co., Kan., daughter of Calvin Carlton Milton and Lizzie Dorsey who d. Dec. 5, 1914, buried at Bondon, Ore. Mr. Pullen m. May 14, 1926, Mrs. Mollie Larson and they live at 4451 Landis St., San Diego, Calif., where he has a grocery store.

Children (Pullen):

269. i. Inez, b. Mar. 27, 1894, at Centerville, Wash.; m. Norman Lee Hawk.
270. ii. Leslie Carlton, b. Sept. 5, 1896, at Beaver Hill, Ore.; m. Ila Corinne Johnson.
iii. Ivan Jerrold, b. Feb. 24, 1898, at Paradise, Ore.; m. July 23, 1921, at Eugene, Ore., Laura Amelia Ruth, b. Dec. 13, 1898, at Eugene, Ore., daughter of Hartzel H. Ruth, b. Aug. 14, 1863, and Evelyn Doane, b. July 5, 1864. They have a son four years old. Address, Klamath Falls, Ore.

205. MARY JANE PULLEN[6] (Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 15, 1868; m. Daniel Barklow, b. July 2, 1865, son of John Yarger Barklow and Nancy H. Snyder. Address, Myrtle Point, Ore.

Children (Barklow)—all born at Myrtle Point, Ore.:

271. i. John, b. Nov. 4, 1885; m. Flora Wallen.
ii. Ida Esther, b. Sept. 8, 1887, d.
272. iii. William Franklin, b. Jan. 1, 1890; m. Tishev Bell Roberts.
273. iv. Nancy Ellen, b. Mar. 8, 1892; m. (1) Joel Barker, (2) W. A. Miller.
274. v. Walter Irvin, b. Feb. 26, 1896; m. Ruby Wallen.
vi. Cella Viola, b. Aug. 14, 1900, d.
275. vii. Henry Earl, b. Dec. 3, 1902; m. Lucille Evans.
viii. Daniel Schiller, b. Sept. 27, 1905.
ix. Leslie Vash, b. Mar. 5, 1911.

206. JOHN ELLIOTT PULLEN[6] (Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 25, 1869, in Ill.; m. (1) Emily May

Bailey, b. Sept. 29, 1875, daughter of James K. McCullough and Caroline Ruth Freeman; m. (2) Ada Mircinda Masters, b. May 10, 1879, in Otoe Co., Neb., daughter of Geo. B. Masters, b. Nov. 23, 1838, and Elvira Russell, b. Sept. 14, 1836. Mr. Pullen is a bridge foreman, Bridge and Building O. W. R. N. Co. Address, Box 810, R. No. 11, Milwaukie, Ore.

Children (Pullen):

i. Harriet Kathleen, b. Mar. 27, 1903; m. July 14, 1924, at Los Angeles, Calif. William Clarence Simkins, b. Sept. 29, 1898, in Salt Lake City, son of Joseph Simkins. He was in the army in France for two and one-half years.

207. HARRIET ELIZABETH (LIZZIE) PULLEN[6] (Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 23, 1872, d. Feb. 24, 1920, at Myrtle Point, Ore.; m. Mar. 1899, at Coos, Ore., Irvin Miller, b. Apr. 19, 1860, d. Jan. 18, 1921, son of Reed Miller and Mary Jane Coy.

Children (Miller):

i. Delmer H., b. Sept. 17, 1890, at Widderborn, Curry Co., Ore., served in the army fifteen months; m. Aug. 1, 1928, Mildred Sutton at Medford, Ore. They have one child, Delbert Delmer, b. Mar. 31, 1929, at Myrtle Point, Coos Co., Ore. Address, Gold Beach, Curry Co., Ore.

276. ii. Floyd, b. Dec. 22, 1893, in Wallowa Co., Ore.; m. Vivian Garrison.

277. iii. Alva Ivan, b. Feb. 7, 1898; m. Geneva Stenson.

iv. Mary Alice, b. Mar. 10, 1902, d. Feb. 16, 1908, at Ophir, Ore.

208. CATHERINE ELLEN PULLEN[6] (Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 26, 1874, in Parkersburg, Ill.; m. May 20, 1894, at Paradise, Ore., Sensea Walter Applegate, b. July 26, 1858, in Novelty, Knox Co., Mo., son of S. W. Applegate and Emily Mitchell of Iowa. Address, Enterprise, Ore.

Children (Applegate):

278. i. William Price, b. July 4, 1895, at Paradise, Ore.; m. Hettie G. Cole.

279. ii. Mary Sylvia, b. Nov. 20, 1896, at Paradise, Ore.; m. Harry Wade.

280. iii. Letha Ellen, b. Apr. 28, 1898, at Paradise, Ore.; m. Billie Dailey.

iv. Donald, b. July 18, 1899, at Paradise, Ore.

v. Clifford, b. Jan. 4, 1893.

vi. Vodna Grace, b. Sept. 5, 1912, at Flora, Ore.

209. B. F. (DICK) PULLEN[6] (Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. near Antle, Kan., Feb. 12, 1877; m. Feb. 1905, in Wallowa, Ore., Pearl Pacific Roberts, b. in Ill. Aug. 13, 1886.

Children (Pullen)—all born at Wallowa, Ore.:

i. William Clarence, b. June 20, 1906; m. June 13, 1925, Goldie Vanress. They live on a ranch near Wallowa, Ore., and have one child, Wilda Mary, b. Jan. 19, 1927.

ii. James Joan, b. Dec. 5, 1907.
iii. Charles Fremont, b. Mar. 9, 1911.

210. DORA BELLE PULLEN[6] (Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 6, 1880, in Neb.; m. Oct. 2, 1898, at Pearl, Boise Co., Idaho, Robert Smith Minton, b. July 26, 1869, in Mo., son of Willis Jefferson Minton and Martha Susan Kokes. Address, 1111 Jefferson Ave., Yakima, Wash.

Children (Minton):

281. i. Leo Robert, b. May 24, 1900, at Nyssa, Ore.; m. Ruth Lenore Halaas.
ii. Verne Harry, b. June 4, 1903, at Nyssa, Ore.; m. Mar. 24, 1928, Velma Van Vleek of Yakima, Wash. One son, Roger Wayne, b. Sept. 25, 1930.
iii. Newton Virgil, b. Sept. 13, 1912, at Parma, Idaho.

211. CORA CROSS[6] (George,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. in 1884 at St. Thomas, Ind.; m. in 1899 at St. Francisville, Ill., Peter L. Duby, b. in 1878 in St. Francisville, Ill., son of Louis Duby, b. in 1856 and Clara Birdlog, b. in 1860. He is a carpenter living at 27th and Dimmick Ave., R. F. D. Box 64, Terre Haute, Ind.

Children (Duby):

i. Cletus, b. 1900, at St. Francisville, Ill.; m. Anna Yeager. One child, Louis Leon, b. 1920.
ii. George Louis, b. 1902, at Emerson, Ind.; m. Elsie May Clark. One daughter, Madeline May. Lives at home.
iii. Dorothy Agnes, b. 1904, at St. Francisville, Ill.; d. Sept. 1, 1906.
iv. Delia Irene, b. 1906, at St. Francisville, Ill.; m. Elmer Bowman. One child, Loretta June. Lives in Terre Haute.
v. William Weaver, b. 1908, at St. Francisville, Ill.
vi. Ernest J., b. 1910, at Terre Haute, Ind.
vii. Delores, b. May, 1913, at Terre Haute, Ind.
viii. Louis, b. 1916, at Terre Haute, Ind.
ix. Forest, b. 1919, in Tenn., d. Nov. 19, 1919, in Tenn.
x. Norma Virginia Loraine, b. 1921, at Terre Haute, Ind.
xi. Katherine Louise, b. 1925, at Terre Haute, Ind.

212. ALBERTIS ROBY[6] (Nancy Jane,[5] William,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 29, 1876; m. Vincent Storm, b. May 10, 1877, son of William Storm and Sara Ellen Weeks.

Children (Storm)—born at Windsor, Ill.:

i. Gilbert, b. Mar. 23, 1896; m. Mildred Harter, b. May 18, 1894, at Danville, Ill., daughter of William J. Harter, b. Dec. 26, 1867, and Mary Ellen McCurdy, b. Aug. 15, 1869. He is a shoe merchant at Danville, Ill.

213. GROVER McCARTNEY[6] (Nancy Jane,[5] William,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 21, 1885, near Neoga, Ill.; m. (1) Nov.

16, 1904, at Milton, Ky., Dola Abbott, daughter of Adolph and Susie Abbott. She died Jan. 19, 1912, and Mr. McCartney m. (2) Nov. 27, 1912, Missouri Sutton.

Children (McCartney)—born in Mattoon, Ill.:

i. Lurline, b. Dec. 3, 1905.
ii. Vivian, b. July 26, 1907.

214. GRACE McCARTNEY,[6] (Nancy Jane,[5] William,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 1, 1888, in Neoga, Ill.; m. June 6, 1906, in Neoga, Ill., Joseph Fosbinder, b. in Ind., Aug. 2, 1884, son of William Fosbinder, b. Aug. 2, 1837, and Anna, b. Aug. 8, 1846. He is a farmer living near Etna, Ill., R. # 1.

Children (Fosbinder)—born in Neoga, Ill.:

i. Leo Marvin, b. Jan. 14, 1907.
ii. Wanda Louise, b. Dec. 16, 1923.

215. RAYMOND McCARTNEY,[6] (Nancy Jane,[5] William,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 27, 1892, in Cumberland Co., Ill.; m. (1) Oct. 1, 1910, at Neoga, Ill., Elsie Elliott, b. Aug. 25, 1892, in Paragon, Ind., daughter of Daniel Elliott, b. Aug. 1870, and Mollie McDowell, b. Oct. 1874. He m. (2) Feb. 19, 1930, at Neoga, Ill., Mrs. Margaret Bolin Welch, b. July 7, 1904. Address, 102 N. Main St., Farmer City, Ill.

Children (McCartney)—all born in Cumberland Co., Ill.:

i. Carroll, b. Oct. 23, 1911.
ii. Donald, b. Dec. 24, 1912.
iii. Marjorie, b. Oct. 6, 1914.
iv. George Daniel, b. May 7, 1916.
v. Dean, b. Oct. 20, 1918.

216. TRACY STORM,[6] (Gilla Margaret,[5] William,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 7, 1880, in Big Springs Twp., Shelby Co., Ill., d. Dec. 31, 1922; m. Mar. 26, 1902, Annie E. Storm, b. Mar. 9, 1887, daughter of Sam Storm, b. Sept. 20, 1852 and Nancy Good, b. Jan. 8, 1854.

Child (Storm)—born in Shelby Co., Ill.:

282. i. Nadine, b. July 9, 1903; m. Dean Rankin.

217. FOSTER STORM,[6] (Gilla Margaret,[5] William,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 9, 1891, in Ash Grove Twp., Shelby Co., Ill., attended the Ill. State Normal and taught school six years. He

was seven months overseas in 327th Heavy Artillery and in service eighteen months during the World War; m. May 15, 1919, Bessie Wilson, b. Jan. 24, 1892, in Ash Grove Twp., Shelby Co., Ill., daughter of Barnard Wilson and Margaret McAndrew, granddaughter of Patrick McAndrew and Malinda Abercrombie, and also of James and Bridget Wilson. Mr. Storm is with the McAndrew Tire Co., Tulsa, Okla. Address, 538 S. Delaware.

Child (Storm)—born in Tulsa, Okla.:

i. Margaret Rosalie, b. Apr. 6, 1925.

218. DORR EDWARD CROSS,[6] (Charles Edward,[5] William,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 16, 1892 in Neoga, Ill.; m. Feb. 27, 1910, in Pueblo, Colo., Bertha Viola Stewart, b. Jan. 1, 1893, at Lebanon, Mo., daughter of William E. Stewart, b. Apr. 10, 1845, at Crawfordsville, Ind., and Melissa Jennie Morris, b. Nov. 10, 1857. Mr. Cross is a shoemaker living at 3807 Fernwood, Los Angeles, Calif.

Child (Cross)—born at Pueblo, Colo.:

i. Mark Albert, b. June 9, 1911.

219. JAMES OVERSTREET DAVIS,[6] (Lana,[5] John,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 13, 1868, in Shelby Co., Ill. d. Jan. 3, 1921, buried in the Dodge Grove Cemetery at Mattoon, Ill.; m. Apr. 2, 1892, Elsie May Nolan, b. Aug. 17, 1872, at Shelbyville, Ill., d. May 2, 1905, daughter of Thomas Nolan and Ladonia Thompson.

Children (Davis)—all born in Mattoon, Ill.:

283. i. Edna May, b. Aug. 30, 1892; m. Ira Huddleston.
ii. Thomas Worley, b. Sept. 5, 1895, killed Apr. 7, 1916, at Newton, Ill
iii. Harry M., b. Mar. 22, 1898, single, lives at Santa Barbara, Calif.

220. JULIA BELL DAVIS, (Lana,[5] John,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 23, 1870, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Nov. 10, 1886, at Charleston, Ill., Louis C. Slagle, b. Jan. 8, 1864, at Martinsville, Ind., son of John M. Slagle, b. June 18, 1820 and Mary E. Wilson, b. May 30, 1830. Mr. Slagle is a R. R. fireman living at 1505 Richmond Ave., Mattoon, Ill.

Children (Slagle)—all born in Coles Co., Ill.:

i. Calvin C., b. Dec. 22, 1887; m. Ethel Easton. Address Indianapolis, Ind.
ii. Edward, b. Apr. 30, 1889; m. Viola Stewart. Address, Mattoon, Ill.
iii. Bertha, b. Mar. 6, 1892; m. John J. Baker. Address, Mattoon, Ill.

284. iv. Carl, b. June 9, 1894; m. Eunice Brown.
v. Clyde, b. Nov. 11, 1896; m. Irene Rogers. Address, Indianapolis, Ind.

221. JESSE ELMER CROSS,[6] (John James,[5] John,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 1, 1876, in Shelby Co., Ill. m. July 14, 1909, at Gays, Ill., Emma Alice Moore, b. Feb. 9, 1879, at Bethany, Ill., d. Oct. 27, 1929, daughter of James Madison Moore, b. May 10, 1837, d. Nov. 15, 1915; m. Nov. 10, 1864, Martha Walker, b. Mar. 26, 1848, d. Dec. 30, 1912, lived in Moultrie Co., Ill. Mrs. Cross attended the Presbyterian College at Lincoln, Ill. Mr. Cross served in the Spanish-American War, Troop C, 3rd U. S. Cavalry. He lived at Gays, Ill., until Feb. 1, 1911, when he moved to St. Lawrence, S. D. He is a farmer living at Miller, S. D.

Children (Cross)—all born at St. Lawrence, S. D.:

i. Donald William, b. May 10, 1912.
ii. Eleanor Fay, b. July 1, 1914.
iii. Ruth Emma, b. July 22, 1916.

222. EMMA GERTRUDE CROSS,[6] (John James,[5] John,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. at Gays, Ill., June 4, 1881; m. Dec. 10, 1902, at Windsor, Ill., Daniel Edgar Moore, b. Jan. 7, 1881, at Bethany, Ill., son of James Madison Moore, b. May 10, 1837, and Martha Walker, b. Mar. 26, 1848, a farmer living at Manchester, S. D.

Children (Moore):

i. Jesse Wallace, b. July 3, 1904, at Gays, Ill.
285. ii. Helen Lorene, b. Apr. 17, 1906, at Gays, Ill.; m. Herbert J. Harris.
iii. Clara Fern, b. Apr. 23, 1909, at St. Lawrence, S. D.; m. Wayne Edgar Harvey of Manchester, S. D., Mar. 1, 1927. They have two children, Jean Louise, b. Apr. 1, 1914, and Donald Wayne, b. May 19, 1930.
iv. James Henry, b. Feb. 26, 1911, in St. Lawrence, S. D.
v. Floyd Leroy, b. Oct. 13, 1913, at Miller, S. D.
vi. Clifford Edwin, b. Sept. 24, 1915, at Miller, S. D.
vii. Virginia Doris, b. Aug. 24, 1917, at Miller, S. D.
viii. Alfred Rodger, b. Jan. 19, 1920, at Miller, S. D.

223. ROBERT CROSS,[6] (John James,[5] John,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 14, 1893, at Gays, Ill.; m. June 3, 1922, at Jeffersonville, Ind., Catherine Ogden Fitch, b. June 2, 1894, in Jeffersonville, Ind., daughter of Thomas Clewell Fitch and Ella Ogden. Mr. Cross served in the army from May, 1918, until Sept., 1919, and is a telegraph operator now living at Petersburg, Ind.

Children (Cross)—born at Jeffersonville, Ind.:

i. Betty Mae, b. Oct. 18, 1923.

224. MOLLIE BELLE CROSS,[6] (William,[5] John,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 18, 1878, in Shelby Co., Ill., d. Apr. 27, 1915; m. Aug. 13, 1896, in Toledo, Ill., Owen William Colbert, son of John Colbert and Mary Brown.

Children (Colbert)—all born in Lerna, Ill.:

i. Donald Rudolph, b. Mar. 17, 1896, killed in action in France Aug. 1, 1918. He was in the 32nd Div. Co. C, 126 Inf. At time of death, was fighting near Cierges. He was buried in Neoga, Ill.
ii. Leah Fern, b. Jan. 7, 1900, lives in Chicago, Ill.
iii. Carroll, b. Sept. 2, 1907, lives in Neoga, Ill.

225. LILLIE BELLE ELLIS,[6] (Sam,[5] Sarah,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 19, 1881, in Coles Co., Ill.; m. Franklin Marion Stewart, b. Oct. 13, 1880, in Cumberland Co., Ill., son of William Duncan Stewart, b. May 11, 1848, and Hannah Janes, b. Apr. 3, 1848. Mr. Stewart is a farmer near Neoga, Ill.

Children (Stewart)—all born in Cumberland Co., Ill.:

286. i. Lois Evangeline, b. July, 29, 1900; m. George Hiatt Gaddis.
ii. Wilma Marie, b. May 14, 1902; m. in 1929, Harold Thayer, of Chicago.
iii. Charles Corban, b. May 25, 1904; m. Jan., 1929, Olive Fink, of Chicago.
iv. Joseph Franklin, b. Nov. 7, 1914.

226. SARAH ANN ELLIS,[6] (Sam,[5] Sarah,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 27, 1883, in Coles Co., Ill., d. Jan. 14, 1922; m. July 27, 1902, in Neoga, Ill., Otto Mayo Paskins, b. May 23, 1875, near Neoga, d. Oct. 31, 1925, son of William Paskins, b. Dec. 24, 1843, and Mary Catherine Anderson, b. Feb. 24, 1852.

Children (Paskins)—all born near Neoga, Ill.:

i. Irma Marie, b. Feb. 10, 1903; m. June 9, 1923, at Mattoon, Ill. Ferris Mowell, b. Oct. 12, 1903, son of Eva Mowell. He is an orchard foreman, Box 6, Robinson, Ill. They have one child, Betty Jean, b. July 26, 1925, at Robinson, Ill.
ii. Mabel Cleo, b. Feb. 7, 1905, d. Feb. 22, 1905.
iii. William Russell, b. Nov. 25, 1905, d. Apr. 25, 1906.
iv. Edith Irene, b. Jan. 4, 1908, lives in Neoga, Ill.
v. Clara Katherine, b. Feb. 7, 1910, lives at 111 Bellefontaine Ave., Champaign, Ill.
vi. Lester Otto, b. Feb. 12, 1912, Robinson, Ill.
vii. Ida Fern, b. Jan. 21, 1915, d. Apr. 3, 1922.
viii. Woodrow Wilson, b. Sept. 15, 1917, d. Oct. 29, 1920.
ix. Leah Ruth, b. Oct. 21, 1919, Robinson, Ill.

227. MARGARET GERTRUDE ELLIS,[6] (Sam,[5] Sarah,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 10, 1886, in Coles Co., Ill.; m. Sept. 29,

1908, in Neoga, Edmund Wesley Gordon, b. Nov. 4, 1886, in Neoga, son of Alonzo Gordon, b. in 1854, and Lucretia Snyder, b. in 1868.

Children (Gordon)—all born in Neoga, Ill.:

i. Della Irene, b. Jan. 27, 1909.
ii. Ellen Lucretia, b. Apr. 6, 1910.
iii. Ellis Alonzo, b. Feb. 12, 1912.
iv. Charles Edward, b. Oct. 3, 1917, d. Oct. 4, 1918.
v. Neva May, b. May 24, 1919.
vi. Henry Ellsworth, b. Feb. 24, 1921.
vii. Donald, b. Feb. 7, 1924.

228. LULA MYRTLE ELLIS,[6] (Joseph,[5] Sarah,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 25, 1883, in Coles Co., Ill.; m. Aug. 15, 1900, at Neoga, Ill., Arthur Janes, b. Aug. 12, 1879, son of Ferris Janes, b. Feb. 14, 1853, and Mary Elizabeth Scott, b. June 22, 1854. Address, Neoga, Ill.

Children (Janes)—all born in Neoga, Ill.:

287. i. Jesse Floyd, b. Apr. 22, 1901; m. Edith Votaw.
288. ii. Dorothy Leona, b. Mar. 27, 1903; m. Roy Gaddis.
iii. Joseph Arthur, b. May 4, 1909.
iv. Mabel Arlene, b. Jan. 16, 1912.

229. RAYMOND BRYAN ELLIS,[6] (Joseph,[5] Sarah,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 8, 1896, at Etna, Coles Co., Ill.; m. Dec. 2, 1918, at Beebe, Ark., Clara Lucile Goodman, b. Sept. 12, 1898, at Beebe, Ark., daughter of George W. Goodman, b. in 1855, d. Apr., 1915, m. in 1876, at Searcy, Ark., Mary M. Allen, b. Feb., 1860. Mr. Ellis is a farmer and mechanic living at Beebe, Ark.

Child (Ellis)—born at Beebe, Ark.:

i. Raymond, b. Oct. 29, 1919.

230. WILBERT EARL ELLIS,[6] (David,[5] Sarah,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 25, 1890, in Coles Co., Ill.; m. Oct. 5, 1912, in Neoga, Harriet Pearl Janes, b. Feb. 1, 1892, in Cumberland Co., Ill., daughter of Ferris Janes, b. Feb. 14, 1853, and Mary Elizabeth Scott, b. June 22, 1854. Mr. Ellis owns a grocery store in Etna, Ill.

Children (Ellis):

i. Cleda Fern, b. July 20, 1913, in Cumberland Co., Ill.
ii. Vesta June, b. June 16, 1915, in Coles Co., Ill.
iii. Robert Earl, b. Nov. 22, 1918, in Coles Co., Ill.

231. ARTHUR THIRL ELLIS,[6] (David,[5] Sarah,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 15, 1892, in Coles Co., Ill.; m. Mar. 20, 1918, at

Arcola, Ill., Folin DeBuhr, b. May 8, 1895, in Alton, Ill., daughter of Henry DeBuhr, b. Dec. 8, 1863, and Marie Meyer, b. Mar. 28, 1864. Mr. Ellis served four months in the army during the World War. Before marriage Mrs. Ellis attended the Mattoon Business College. Mr. Ellis is associated with his father in the grocery business in Neoga, Ill.

Child (Ellis)—born in Coles Co., Ill.:

i. Emily Marie, b. Nov. 24, 1919.

232. VERNA MAY CROSS,[6] (Marion,[5] James,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 10, 1884, at Moweaqua, Ill., d. July 1, 1910; m. Feb. 1, 1903, at Cowden, Ill., William Jesse Pettyjohn, b. Sept. 23, 1883, at Cowden, Ill., son of James Pettyjohn, b. Jan. 22, 1863, and Pearlie Askins, b. May 9, 1866.

Children (Pettyjohn)—born at Herrick, Ill.:

i. Opal Lucy, b. Apr. 2, 1904; m. Dec. 19, 1925, at Shelbyville, Ill., Thomas Myron Bennett, b. July 21, 1903, at Herrick, Ill., son of J. F. Bennett, b. at Cather, Ill., Sept. 26, 1859, and Emma Jones, b. at Paris, Ill., Mar. 1, 1867. Mr. Bennett is a farmer living at Herrick, Ill.

233. ETHEL MAY CROSS,[6] (John Henry,[5] James,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 24, 1900, at Moweaqua, Ill., m. Sept. 22, 1920, at Decatur, Ill., Rollie Edgar Scribner, b. Feb. 19, 1899, at Moweaqua, Ill., son of Stephen Alexander Scribner, b. Mar. 11, 1876, and Arminda Louisa Hays, b. Oct. 10, 1880. Mr. Scribner is a structural steel worker. Address, 1713 East Whitmer St., Decatur, Ill.

Children (Scribner):

i. Loretta May, b. Dec. 11, 1921, at Macon, Ill.
ii. Leona Ruth, b. July 20, 1923, at Decatur, Ill.
iii. Doris Marie, b. June 7, 1925, at Decatur, Ill.

234. IRA LINDON PARKER,[6] (Sarah Catherine (Kate),[5] Alexander,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 27, 1889, near Neoga, Ill., m. Feb. 19, 1908, at Charleston, Ill., Agnes Janes, b. June 24, 1888, near Etna, Ill., daughter of W. W. Janes, b. Jan. 14, 1856, at Johnston, Ill., and Julia Blystone, b. June, 1868. Mr. Parker is a farmer living near Neoga. Address, R. R. # 1.

Children (Parker)—born near Neoga, Ill.:

289. i. Ira Paul, b. Sept. 2, 1908; m. Gertrude McCartney.
ii. Henry Washington, b. Jan. 13, 1910.

235. NAOMA PARKER,[6] (Sarah Catherine (Kate),[5] Alexander,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 1, 1897, at Neoga, Ill.; m. (1)

a Mr. Lockhart, (2) Aug. 2, 1924, at Mattoon, Ill., James Arnold Funkhouser, b. July 29, 1897, at Enfield, Ill., son of G. L. Funkhouser, b. June 26, 1873, and Julia Funkhouser, b. Jan. 3, 1875. Address, 701 Dewitt Ave., Mattoon, Ill.

Children (Lockhart-Funkhouser):

i. Foster Lockhart, b. Mar. 26, 1914.
ii. Leo Beryl Lockhart, b. Dec. 28, 1915.
iii. James Arnold Funkhouser, b. Oct. 31, 1926.
iv. Madonna Lee Funkhouser, b. Jan. 5, 1929, d. May 13, 1929.

236. MAY JONES,[6] (Henrietta (Etta),[5] Alexander,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 27, 1891, in Cumberland Co., Ill.; m. June 2, 1912, at Mattoon, Ill., Elza D. Goar, son of M. W. Goar, and Belle Hendrix. Mr. Goar was a Decorating Contractor. He died Jan. 29, 1929, and Mrs. Goar lives at 1021 S. 14th St., Mattoon, Ill.

Children (Goar):

i. George Miles, b. May 20, 1913, in Chicago, Ill.
ii. Henrietta Pauline, b. July 31, 1915, in Mattoon, Ill.

237. LOGAN HAROLD JONES,[6] (Henrietta (Etta),[5] Alexander,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 12, 1900, at Neoga, Ill.; m. Oct. 23, 1920, at Mattoon, Ill., Izora Louise Templeton, b. July 12, 1902, in Neoga, daughter of Worth Templeton, b. May 9, 1849, and Louise Foote, b. Nov. 8, 1859. Mr. Jones is a railroader living at Etna, Ill.

Children (Jones)—born at Etna, Ill.:

i. Donald Rex, b. Mar. 9, 1923.
ii. Marjorie June, b. Jan. 9, 1925.

238. FLORENCE LEAH CROSS,[6] (James,[5] Alexander,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 28, 1900, at Neoga, Ill.; m. Nov. 26, 1904, at Charleston, Ill., Basil Emmett Wattles, b. Jan. 13, 1899, at Bible Grove, Ill., son of Harry Wattles, b. Apr. 17, 1876, and Lily Gibson, b. Oct. 27, 1877. Address, Neoga, Ill., where he is a truck driver.

Children (Wattles)—born at Neoga, Ill.:

i. Norma Faye, b. Oct. 13, 1925.

239. GLENN CROSS,[6] (James,[5] Alexander,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 25, 1903, in Neoga; m. Aug. 1, 1923, at Watseka, Ill., Eunice Roberta Midgley, b. Oct. 19, 1905, in Chicago, Ill., daughter of Robert John Midgley and Ruth Elizabeth Barr. He is a R. R. Telegrapher, living at Flanagan, Ill., where he is Agent for the Ill. Central R. R., Box 91.

Children (Cross):

i. Gloria Jackie, b. Feb. 21, 1924, at Buckley, Ill.
ii. Clayton Eugene, b. Jan. 12, 1927, at Chebanse, Ill.

240. VIOLA FAYE CROSS,[6] (James,[5] Alexander,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 29, 1907, in Neoga, Ill.; m. Jan. 4, 1927, in Charleston, Ill., George Haskett, b. July 19, 1906, in Neoga, son of ZeBina Sanbalot Haskett and Clara Anice Daugherty. Mr. Haskett is a telegraph operator living at Neoga, Ill.

Children (Haskett)—born in Neoga, Ill.:

i. Roma Joy, b. Aug. 31, 1927.

SEVENTH GENERATION.

241. CLAUDE EDWARD STORM,[7] (Harriet,[6] Mary Ann,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 27, 1887, in Neoga, Ill.; m. Dec. 29, 1912, in Neoga, Ill., Lena Frances Price, b. Oct. 1, 1888, near Johnston, Ill., daughter of James Howard Price, b. Sept. 17, 1858, and Phoebe DeWitt, b. Feb. 2, 1863. Mr. Storm attended the Mattoon Business College and is a farmer living near Neoga, Ill.

Children (Storm)—born in Neoga, Ill.:

i. Niota Marjorie, b. July 20, 1918.
ii. Virginia Margaret, b. Nov. 4, 1922.

242. ZOLA BESSIE STORM,[7] (Harriet,[6] Mary Ann,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 18, 1894, in Neoga, Ill., d. Aug. 3, 1917; m. Fount Wilson, who resides in Arcola, Ill., with his family.

Children (Wilson):

i. Vivian Adele, b. Dec. 1, 1912.
ii. John Nicholas, b. June 30, 1914.
iii. Christine Geneva, b. Dec. 3, 1915.
iv. Leonard Logan, b. July 25, 1917.

243. GARRET HARVEY YOUNG,[7] (James Harvey,[6] Sarah Ann,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 16, 1891, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Apr. 23, 1918, Anna Marie Thedick, b. Apr. 15, 1896, in Effingham Co., Ill.

Children (Young):

i. Leonard Calvin, b. Feb. 12, 1920, d. Jan. 18, 1921.
ii. Dennie Dorsey, b. July 16, 1921.
iii. Paul, b. Sept. 25, 1925.
iv. Elmer, b. May 16, 1927.

244. FAYE YOUNG,[7] (James Harvey,[6] Sarah Ann,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 21, 1893, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. May 10, 1916, Frank Pugsley, b. Jan. 7, 1890, in Ripley Co., Ind.

Children (Pugsley):

i. Charles Raymond, b. Nov. 10, 1917, in Cumberland Co., Ill.
ii. Velma Lucile, b. Jan. 11, 1920, in Coles Co., Ill.
iii. Robert Virgil, b. Aug. 25, 1924, in Coles Co., Ill.

245. RAYMOND YOUNG,[7] (James Harvey,[6] Sarah Ann,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 8, 1895, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Feb. 25, 1920, Lydia Becker, b. Jan. 10, 1899, in Cumberland Co., Ill.

Children (Young)—born in Shelby Co., Ill.:

i. Dallas Norman, b. Dec. 25, 1924.

246. OMA LORETTA YOUNG,[7] (Samuel Edward,[6] Sarah Ann,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 27, 1902, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Mar. 26, 1921, Willis O. True, b. July 29, 1895, in Cumberland Co., Ill.

Children (True):

i. Norma Rozelle, b. May 10, 1922, in Shelby Co., Ill.
ii. Vera, b. July 1, 1924.
iii. Samuel Rolla, b. July 1, 1925.
iv. Willis, Jr., b. Mar. 27, 1928.
v. Jessie Marie, b. Aug. 28, 1929.

247. EDNA YOUNG,[7] (Samuel Edward,[6] Sarah Ann,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 26, 1904, in Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Apr. 2, 1922, Estal Burton, b. Dec. 26, 1896, in Cumberland Co., Ill.

Children (Burton):

i. Sarah Belle, b. July 10, 1925.
ii. Wanda Leon, b. Sept. 19, 1927.
iii. Harry Donald, b. Nov. 10, 1929.

248. ROSCOE BERYL EVANS,[7] (Carrie Belle,[6] Elizabeth Jane,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 3, 1891, at Neoga, Ill.; m. Oct. 14, 1917, at Dermott, Ark., Mamie Lee Mercer, b. Aug. 28, 1899, at Owensboro, Ky., daughter of T. W. Mercer, b. May 14, 1878, and Ella May Wilhite, b. Apr. 6, 1882. Mr. Evans is a graduate of the Commercial School at Mattoon, Ill., and served in the army in 1918. He is an electrician and book keeper at McGhee, Ark.

Children (Evans)—all born in Dermott, Ark.:

i. Beryl, Jr., b. Dec. 22, 1918.
ii. Jack Mercer, b. Oct. 3, 1921.
iii. Robert William, b. Aug. 9, 1923.

249. HELEN MARIE EVANS,[7] (Carrie Belle,[6] Elizabeth Jane,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 2, 1896, at Butler, Mo.;

m. Dec. 26, 1922, at Dermott, Ark., Melville Douglas Hart, b. Sept. 30, 1899, at Wilmar, Ark., son of Douglas David Hart, b. July 25, 1851, d. Apr. 2, 1909; m. in 1876 at Allis, Ark., Margaret Elizabeth Miller, b. Feb. 1, 1858. Mrs. Hart attended Henderson-Brown College at Arkadelphia, Ark., 1919-21. Mr. Hart is an oil field pumper and served in army from Apr. 9, 1917, to Nov. 30, 1920, and was in France from Sept. 1, 1918, to Apr. 1, 1920, with army of occupation. Address, Eldorado, Ark., R. # 3, Box 45 B.

Children (Hart)—born at Kenova, Ark.:

i. Melville Douglas, Jr., b. Nov. 22, 1925.
ii. John Evans, b. Apr. 6, 1927.

250. LEONARD V. EVANS,[7] (Carrie Belle,[6] Elizabeth Jane,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 28, 1899, in Neoga, Ill.; m. June 19, 1920, at Dermott, Ark., Scottie Courtney, b. Aug. 13, 1901, at Collins, Ark., daughter of Henry Edward and Mary Louise Courtney. Mr. Evans is assistant manager of Bimel Ashcroft Manufacturing Co., Address, 417 Hudson Lane, Monroe, La.

Children (Evans)—born at Dermott, Ark.:

i. Betty Jane, b. Sept. 22, 1922.
ii. Dorothy Louise, b. Feb. 5, 1924.
iii. Mary Ruth, b. Aug. 16, 1927.

251. FRANCES FAY WOOLERY,[7] (Susan Florence,[6] Hannah Major,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 25, 1906, in Neoga, Ill.; m. Sept. 18, 1922, Philip Welshimer. Address, 2331 E. 70th Place, Chicago, Ill.

Children (Welshimer):

i. Philip Voris, Jr., b. Jan. 9, 1926.
ii. Margaret Ann, b. Feb. 26, 1930.

252. RUTH MILDRED DAVIDSON,[7] (Minnie Belle,[6] Hannah Major,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 12, 1896, in Neoga, Ill.; m. Aug. 29, 1920, Guy Hill Cottle, b. Apr. 22, 1898, in Blue Mound Twp., Macon Co., Ill., son of James E. Cottle, b. Aug. 25, 1867, and Anna P. Hill, b. Aug. 21, 1870. Mrs. Cottle attended Penn College and was a Pi Beta Phi at James Milliken University. Address, Decatur, Ill., R. # 4.

Children (Cottle)—born in Decatur, Ill.:

i. James Davidson, b. May 26, 1924.

253. HELEN MARY FANCHER,[7] (Mary Elzona,[6] Hannah Major,[5] Roger,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 9, 1901, at Neoga, Ill.;

m. May 14, 1917, at Jerseyville, Ill., Homer Howell Hausafus, b. Mar. 26, 1894, in Marshalltown, Iowa, son of Edward Hausafus, b. May 12, 1866; m. Mar. 12, 1889, at Marshalltown, Iowa, Ellen Loretta Wright, b. Jan. 1, 1870. Mrs. Hausafus attended Brown's Business College. Mr. Hausafus served in the Spanish American War. Address, Granite City, Ill.

Children (Hausafus)—all born in Granite City, Ill.:

i. Virginia Mae, b. Apr. 22, 1918.
ii. Richard Homer, b. Sept. 20, 1920.
iii. Robert James, b. Mar. 27, 1923.

254. JAMES EDWARD ROBERTS,[7] (Berton Louis,[6] Mary Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 5, 1900, in DeSmet, S. D.; m. Oct. 31, 1919, at Chadron, Neb., Leona Calhoun, b. Dec. 15, 1899, in Deadwood, S. D., daughter of Charles Fulton Calhoun, b. Dec. 26, 1876, and Susie Utley, b. Aug. 19, 1878. Address, Van Tassell, Wyo.

Children (Roberts)—all born in Van Tassell, Wyo.:

i. Marguerite Louise, b. Oct. 29, 1920.
ii. James Ralph, b. Mar. 10, 1923.
iii. Lloyd Berton, b. Apr. 25, 1924.
iv. Kathleen Coila, b. Oct. 19, 1925.
v. Harold Charles, b. Sept. 3, 1927.
vi. Donald Riley, b. Apr. 28, 1929.

255. LILLIAN MINERVA ROBERTS,[7] (Berton Louis,[6] Mary Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 4, 1902, in DeSmet, S. D.; m. Dec. 24, 1923, at Lusk, Wyo., Richard Gustav Goertler, b. Oct. 29, 1903, in Davenport, Iowa, son of Carl August Goertler, b. Feb. 2, 1867, and Dora Sick, b. Dec. 22, 1873. Address, formerly Van Tassell, Wyo., now, Rushville, Neb.

Children (Goertler):

i. Robert Moree, b. Sept. 29, 1924, at Dunlap, Neb.
ii. Charles D., b. Oct. 7, 1926, at Van Tassel, Wyo.
iii. James Melvin, b. Sept. 17, 1929, at VanTassel, Wyo.

256. MYRTLE CARRIE ROBERTS,[7] (Berton Louis,[6] Mary Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 11, 1903, in DeSmet, S. D.; m. Dec. 12, 1923, at Alliance, Neb., Emer D. Gusman, b. July 20, 1902, in Hot Springs, New Mexico, son of Lee Gusman, b. Aug. 18, 1866, and Maxine Delgado, b. May 10, 1880. Address, Bridgeport, Neb.

Children (Gusman):

i. Maxine Esther, b. Sept. 9, 1924, in Bridgeport, Neb.
ii. Frances Lucette, b. Feb. 27, 1926, at Alliance, Neb.
iii. Josephine Lillian, b. Jan. 9, 1928, in Bridgeport, Neb.
iv. Phyllis Wanda, b. Oct. 15, 1929, in Bridgeport, Neb.

257. GRACE MAY ROBERTS,[7] (Berton Louis,[6] Mary Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 1, 1905, in DeSmet, S. D.; m. Jan. 1, 1924, in Odebolt, Iowa, Edward Gustav Simon, b. Mar. 13, 1901, in Odebolt, Iowa, son of Barnard John Simon, b. May 11, 1874, and Lizzie Doris Herrig, b. Mar. 27, 1877. Address, Scott's Bluff, Neb.

Children (Simon):

i. Esther Bernice, b. Aug. 19, 1924, at Cheyenne, Wyo.
ii. James Edward, b. Oct. 31, 1926, at Scott's Bluff, Neb.

258. CLAUDIA THELMA CROSS,[7] (Lesley Norman,[6] Andrew Jackson,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 26, 1903, at Clarinda, Iowa; m. Oct. 24, 1921, in Clarinda, John Wendell Caldwell, b. July 9, 1898, at Iowa Falls, Iowa, son of John Alvin Caldwell. He served in the Rainbow Div., Co. F., 42 Div., 168 Inf., during the World War.

Children (Caldwell)—born at Des Moines, Iowa:

i. Jack Lester, b. May 23, 1922.

259. HARVEY KENNEDY CAMERER,[7] (Mertina Estella,[6] Martha Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 6, 1895, near Granby, Mo., served overseas with 35th Div. (Mo. and Kan.), came to Tulsa in 1919 and works as a switchman in the Frisco R. R. yards; m. Feb. 14, 1924, at Tulsa, Okla., Essie Lee Lemons, b. Dec. 21, 1907, at Childers, Texas, daughter of Alfred Lemons and Florence Ruby, granddaughter of Richard Ruby and Judy Shaffer, also of John Lemons of Nokonia, Texas. Address, 1402 E. Reading, Tulsa, Okla.

Children (Camerer)—born in Tulsa, Okla.:

i. Mack Kellan.

260. GUSTAVE ALTON CAMERER,[7] (Mertina Estella,[6] Martha Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. at Granby, Mo.; m. Mar. 12, 1921, Goldie Grace White, daughter of William White, b. Nov. 28, 1874, and Sallie Mitchell, b. Dec. 6, 1873. Mr. Camerer served actively sixteen months in the Navy during the World War. He is a farmer at Ritchey, Mo.

Children (Camerer):

i. Rex Norman, b. Nov. 15, 1921, at Granby, Mo.
ii. Wayne Alton, b. Nov. 12, 1923, at Newtonia, Mo.

261. DELILA VIOLET CAMERER,[7] (Mertina Estella,[6] Martha Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 30, 1899, at Granby, Mo.; June 6, 1915, at Neosho, Mo.; m. Joe Young, b. Oct.

24, 1894, at Neosho, Mo., son of Napoleon S. Young, b. Sept. 22, 1843, and Nancy J. Snodgrass, b. Sept. 24, 1855. Address, Neosho, Mo., R. # 1.

Children (Young)—born at Neosho, Mo.:

i. Glenn, b. Dec. 27, 1915.

262. CLYDE HERMAN CAMERER,[7] (Mertina Estella,[6] Martha Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]); b. July 5, 1901, at Granby, Mo.; m. Lula Bonnie White, b. Jan. 22, 1904, daughter of Robert L. and Lizzie White. Mr. Camerer is a farmer at Granby, Mo.

Children (Camerer)—all born at Granby, Mo.:

i. Ervin, b. Jan. 3, 1922.
ii. Lee Marshall, b. Jan. 6, 1923.
iii. V. A., b. Dec. 21, 1924.
iv. Curtis Calvin, b. June 6, 1925.
v. Bernice Rosine, b. Sept. 11, 1926.
vi. Harvey Edward.

263. ETHEL JANE RUSSELL,[7] (Lela Minerva,[6] Martha Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 13, 1902, at Granby, Mo.; m. Sept. 10, 1921, at Neosho, Mo., Virgil Harrison Anderson, b. Mar. 23, 1902, at Neosho, Mo., son of Henry Harrison Anderson, b. May 7, 1874, and Lucy Ann Morgan, b. Sept. 21, 1875. He is a farmer at Granby, Mo., R. # 1.

Children (Anderson)—born at Granby, Mo.:

i. Cletis Marjorie,, b. Mar. 7, 1922.

264. CLARENCE SAMUEL McDANIELS,[7] (William Alton,[6] Martha Jane,[5] George,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 22, 1902, at Granby, Mo.; m. July 3, 1922, Wilma Poole, b. Apr. 7, 1900, at Neosho, Mo., daughter of George Frank Poole, b. June 5, 1856, and Elizabeth Campbell, b. Feb. 14, 1876. Mr. McDaniels attended the Joplin Business College and at present is a clerk in Ladies Ready to Wear, Shoes and Dry Goods Store at Galena, Kan.

Children (McDaniels)—born at Galena, Kan.:

i. Patty Lou, b. Dec. 20, 1924.

265. MABEL FLORENCE CROSS,[7] (Launa Philetus (Lea),[6] Sarah Ann,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 12, 1893, at Poseyville, Ind.; m. Aug. 14, 1909, at Grayville, Ill., Charley J. Chitty, b. in West Salem, Ill. He is a minister and lives in West Salem.

Children (Chitty)—all born in West Salem, Ill.:

i. Preston, b. June 19, 1910.
ii. Hollis, b. Mar. 18, 1912.
iii. Malda, b. Dec. 6, 1918.
iv. Margaret Olive, b. Oct. 24, 1925.

266. MYRTLE IRENE CROSS,[7] (Launa Philetus (Lea),[6] Sarah Ann,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 24, 1895, in Gibson Co., Ind.; m. June 10, 1911, at Mt. Carmel, Ill., Pressly Carl Garrett, b. Aug. 24, 1894, in Gibson Co., Ind., son of Joseph Garrett and Ella Montgomery. Mr. Garrett is a farmer living near Owensville, Ind., R. # 2. Mrs. Garrett died Feb. 4, 1925, when her twin girls were two days' old.

Children (Garrett)—all born in Gibson Co., Ind.:

i. Joseph Lee, b. Oct. 12, 1912.
ii. Eugene Orval, b. May 10, 1915.
iii. Elva Lorene, b. July 23, 1919.
iv. Ina May, b. Feb. 2, 1925.
v. Iva Fay, b. Feb. 2, 1925.

267. ALINE VICTORIA CROSS,[7] (Launa Philetus (Lea),[6] Sarah Ann,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 25, 1898, at Poseyville, Ind.; m. Lawrence Lloyd Garrett, b. May 31, 1895, in Owensville, Ind., son of Isaac and Harriet Garrett. He is a farmer living near Owensville, Ind., R. # 2.

Children (Garrett)—all born near Owensville, Ind.:

i. Harriet Eldora, b. Dec. 10, 1917.
ii. Mary Colleen, b. May 9, 1920.
iii. Georgianna, b. Feb. 5, 1925.
iv. Wanda Genevieve, b. May 26, 1927.

268. WALTER P. CROSS,[7] (Launa Philetus (Lea),[6] Sarah Ann,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 7, 1904, at Grayville, Ind.; m. June 7, 1923, at West Salem, Ill., Emma Elizabeth Devin, b. Apr. 25, 1905, in Knox Co., Ind., daughter of Thomas A. Devin, b. Mar. 3, 1883, and Martha Belle Harness, b. Feb. 3, 1884.

Children (Cross)—born at Albion, Ill.:

i. James Howard, b. Apr. 8, 1924.

269. INEZ PULLEN,[7] (Charles Henry,[6] Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 27, 1894, at Centerville, Wash.; m. Aug. 2, 1913, at Coquille, Ore., Norman Lee Hawk, b. July 12, 1890, at Punxsutawney, Pa., son of Simon Hawk, b. Apr. 6, 1863, and Malinda McGregor, b. Sept. 5, 1866. Address, 912 W. 11th St., Medford, Ore.

Children (Hawk):

i. Norman Ray, b. Apr. 14, 1918, at Butte Falls, Ore.
ii. Russell Jerry, b. July 27, 1923, at Medford, Ore.

270. LESLIE CARLTON PULLEN,[7] (Charles Henry,[6] Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 5, 1896, at Beaver Hill, Ore., d. with acute Brights Disease July 11, 1927, buried at Bandon, Ore.; m. Mar. 4, 1921, at Bandon, Ore., Ila Corinne Johnson, b. Apr. 30, 1901, at Myrtle Point, Ore., d. Apr. 30, 1926 from tuberculosis, buried in Phoenix, daughter of Samuel C. Johnson, b. July 19, 1877, and Alma Green, b. Feb. 20, 1880.

Children (Pullen)—born in Bandon, Ore.:

i. Jack Milton, b. Jan. 30, 1922, lives with his grandmother, Mrs. Sam. C. Johnson, 416 N. 13th Ave., Phoenix, Ariz.

271. JOHN BARKLOW,[7] (Mary Jane,[6] Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 4, 1885, at Myrtle Point, Ore.; m. Nov. 14, 1909, at Arago, Ore., Flora Alice Wallen, b. Sept. 30, 1880, in Benton Co., Mo., daughter of Bryant Wallen, b. May 30, 1865, and Ida Land, b. May 18, 1871. Address, Box 346, Myrtle Point, Ore.

Children (Barklow)—-born at Myrtle Point, Ore.:

i. Ralph William, b. June 10, 1911, d. Feb. 6, 1923.
ii. Ida Alice, b. Aug. 10, 1917.

272. WILLIAM FRANKLIN BARKLOW,[7] (Mary Jane,[6] Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 1, 1890, at Myrtle Point, Ore.; m. July 2, 1911, at Wallowa, Ore., Tishey Bell Roberts, b. Feb. 17, 1890, at Myrtle Point, Ore., daughter of S. F. Roberts, b. Jan. 5, 1857, and Delilah C. Roberts, b. Apr. 11, 1861. Mr. Barklow works in a saw mill at Wallowa, Ore.

Children (Barklow):

i. Verla Bernice, b. Aug. 5, 1912, at Wallowa, Ore.
ii. James Daniel, b. Mar. 20, 1916, at Wallowa, Ore.
iii. William Jesee, b. May 19, 1919, at Wallowa, Ore., d. Mar. 10, 1920.
iv. Esther Pauline, b. Nov. 7, 1922, at Wallowa, Ore.
v. Kenneth Vash, b. Feb. 20, 1925, at Mrytle Point, Ore.
vi. Catherine Ellen, b. Oct. 25, 1926, at Wallowa, Ore.

273. NANCY ELLEN BARKLOW,[7] (Mary Jane,[6] Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 8, 1892, at Myrtle Point, Ore.; m. (1) Nov. 27, 1912, Joel Barker, who d. at Bakersfield, Calif., Feb. 18, 1917, buried at Myrtle Point, Ore.; m. (2d) Nov. 29, 1919, at Myrtle Point, Ore., W. A. Miller. Address, Myrtle Point, Ore.

Children (Barker-Miller)—all born at Myrtle Point, Ore.:

i. Luther Barker, b. June 21, 1914.
ii. Mary Jane Barker, b. Mar. 15, 1917.
iii. Anna Belle Miller, b. June 3, 1923.
iv. Leslie Dean Miller, b. Apr. 5, 1925.

274. WALTER IRVIN BARKLOW,[7] (Mary Jane,[6] Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 26, 1896, at Myrtle Point, Ore.; m. Mar. 14, 1917, at Myrtle Point, Ruby Wallen, b. Jan. 25, 1900, daughter of Bryant Wallen and Ida Land, and a sister of John Barklow's wife. Mr. Barklow is a logger at Myrtle Point, Ore.

Children (Barklow)—all born at Myrtle Point, Ore.:

i. Maxine Eiry, b. Apr. 6, 1918.
ii. Walter Bryant, b. and d. Dec. 9, 1919.
iii. Evelyn Ellen, b. May 13, 1923.
iv. Mary Viola, b. May 13, 1923.
v. Ruby Roseline, b. July 4, 1925.

275. HENRY EARL BARKLOW,[7] (Mary Jane,[6] Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 3, 1902, at Myrtle Point, Ore.; m. Mar. 15, 1924, Lucille Evans, b. Feb. 2, 1902, in Okla., daughter of William Thomas Evans, b. Nov. 19, 1863, and Clotilda Tidyman, b. Mar. 13, 1873. Mr. Barklow attended U. S. Naval Torpedo School, served three years in the Navy, 1919-22, as Torpedo Mate, second class. He received honorable discharge and is now a logging contractor at Myrtle Point, Ore., Box 1338.

Children (Barklow):

i. Barbara Elaine, b. May 9, 1925.

276, FLOYD MILLER,[7] (Harriet Elizabeth,[6] Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 22, 1893, in Wallowa Co., Ore.; m. Mar. 17, 1924, at Coquille, Ore., Vivian Garrison, b. Apr. 11, 1905, at Orville, Wash. Mr. Miller was in the army eight months, and is a farmer living at Ophir, Curry Co., Ore.

Children (Miller):

i. Irvin Floyd, b. Jan. 21, 1925, at Coquille, Ore.
ii. Adaline Bernice, b. Dec. 25, 1926, at Ophir, Ore.
iii. Elizabeth Vivian, b. Mar. 12, 1928, at Ophir, Ore.

277. ALVA IVAN MILLER,[7] (Harriet Elizabeth,[6] Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 7, 1898; m. Aug. 1, 1923, at Coquille, Ore., Geneva Stenson.

Children (Miller):

i. Harriet Jane, b. Feb. 5, 1927, at Coquille, Ore.
ii. Alma Leslie, b. Dec. 4, 1929, at Gold Beach, Curry Co., Ore.

278. WILLIAM PRICE APPLEGATE,[7] (Catherine Ellen,[6] Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 4, 1895, at Paradise, Ore.; m. Feb. 11, 1918, at Latheridge, Alberta, Canada, Hettie G. Cole, b. May 11, 1899, at Joseph, Ore., daughter of Robert L. Cole, b. May 5, 1866, and Maude R. Burmap, b. Feb. 16, 1870. Address, Enterprise, Ore., where Mr. Applegate is a transferman.

Children (Applegate)—born at Barons, Alta.:

i. Ella Maud, b. Aug. 5, 1918.
ii. Florence Myrtle, b. June 10, 1922.

279. MARY SYLVIA APPLEGATE,[7] (Catherine Ellen,[6] Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 20, 1896, at Paradise, Ore.; m. Sept. 1, 1917, at Flora, Ore., Harry Samuel Wade, b. Apr. 23, 1891, at Lostine, Ore., son of Samuel Wade, b. Jan. 7, 1848, and Louisa Evans, b. Apr. 2, 1849. Address, Lostine, Ore.

Children (Wade)—born in Lostine, Ore.:

i. Harry Reed, b. Apr. 11, 1919.
ii. Merton Sylvan, b. Oct. 2, 1921.

280. LETHA ELLEN APPLEGATE,[7] (Catherine Ellen,[6] Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 28, 1898, at Paradise, Ore.; m. Jan. 16, 1923, at Cheales, Wash., William Oel Dailey, b. Feb. 4, 1888, at Sallon, Iowa, son of L. T. Dailey, b. Feb. 12, 1862, and Ellen Trane, b. Mar. 26, 1855. Address, 1199½ Hawthorne Ave., Portland, Ore.

Children (Dailey):

i. Billie Walter, b. Oct. 2, 1923, at Provo, Utah.
ii. Joan Ruth, b. Dec. 14, 1925, at Portland, Ore.

281. LEO ROBERT MINTON,[7] (Dora Belle,[6] Harriet,[5] David,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. May 24, 1900, at Nyssa, Ore.; m. Jan. 19, 1924, at Fayette, Idaho, Ruth Lenora Halaas, b. Feb. 5, 1906, at Carrington, N. D., daughter of John Halaas, b. Sept. 20, 1867, and Maxine L. Pound, b. Oct. 27, 1886. Mr. Minton served ten months in office work during the World War. He is a farmer living at Yakima, Wash.

Children (Minton)—born at Nyssa, Ore.:

i. Betty Elaine, b. Sept. 30, 1924.

282. NADINE STORM,[7] (Tracy,[6] Gilla Margaret,[5] William,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 9, 1903, in Ash Grove Twp.,

Shelby Co., Ill.; m. Jan. 27, 1923, at Windsor, Ill., Dean Rankin, b. July 26, 1902, in Windsor Twp., son of L. A. Rankin, b. Dec. 12, 1871; m. Feb. 22, 1898, in Windsor Twp., Maud Reynolds, b. June 25, 1874. Mrs. Rankin attended the Eastern Ill. State Teachers College at Charleston, Ill., and taught school before her marriage. Mr. Rankin attended Sparks Business College at Shelbyville, Ill. Address, Windsor, Ill.

Children (Rankin)—born at Windsor, Ill.:

i. Betty Jean, b. Dec. 20, 1907.

283. EDNA MAY DAVIS,[7] (James O.,[6] Lana,[5] John,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 30, 1892, at Mattoon, Ill.; m. Sept. 4, 1913, at Charleston, Ill., Ira Lewis Huddleston, b. Sept. 4, 1892, at Casey, Ill., son of George A. Huddleston, b. Jan. 1, 1871, and Leonia Lacey, b. May 18, 1874, d. July 4, 1897. Mr. Huddleston is a switchman for the Ill. Central and the family live at 2304 Dewitt Ave., Mattoon, Ill.

Children (Huddleston):

i. Wendell Lewis, b. Mar. 27, 1915, at Charleston, Ill.
ii. Wayne M., b. Jan. 18, 1917, at Charleston, Ill.
iii. Glen Thomas, b. Sept. 25, 1919, at Charleston, Ill.
iv. Ira Max, b. Mar. 12, 1921, at Mattoon, Ill.
v. Betty Jean, b. Nov. 14, 1923, at Mattoon, Ill.

284. CARL SLAGLE,[7] (Julia Belle,[6] Lana,[5] John,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. June 9, 1894, in Coles Co., Ill.; m. Aug. 7, 1916, at Charleston, Ill., Eunice Brown, b. Mar. 24, 1896, in Coles Co., Ill., daughter of James Henry Brown and Mary Jane Barnes. Mr. Slagle is an electrician living in Indianapolis, Ind., R. R. Box 312.

Children (Slagle)—born in Marion Co., Ind.:

i. Carl Louis, Jr., b. June 8, 1918.
ii. Juanita, b. July 9, 1920.

285. HELEN LORENE MOORE,[7] (Emma Gertrude,[6] John James,[5] John,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 17, 1906, at Gays, Ill.; m. June 9, 1927, at Huron, S. D., Herbert Jennings Harris, b. Feb. 19, 1897, at Cowles, Neb., son of George Harris, b. Feb. 6, 1859; m. June 2, 1889, at Cowles, Neb., Aida Brown, b. May 29, 1871. Mr. Harris served as a private in the World War. Address, Vayland, S. D.

Children (Harris)—born at Miller, S. D.:

i. Hazel Irene, b. Nov. 13, 1928.

286. LOIS EVANGELINE STEWART,[7] (Lillie Belle,[6] Sam,[5] Sarah,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. July 29, 1900, in Cumberland Co., Ill.; m. Aug. 3, 1918, at Robinson, Ill., George Hiatt Gaddis, b. Oct. 16, 1892, in Shelby Co., Ill., son of Webster Gaddis, b. Aug. 12, 1865, and Anna Storm. Mr. Gaddis served in the World War, was stationed three months at Camp Custer, Mich., and was overseas six months at Savanff, France. Address, 1100 Montana St., Chicago, Ill.

Children (Gaddis):

i. Lois Mussetta, b. Mar. 13, 1920 in Shelby Co., Ill.
ii. Georgie Stewart, b. Apr. 3, 1922, in Cumberland Co., Ill.
iii. Juanita Annabelle, b. Feb. 20, 1924, in Cumberland Co., Ill.

287. JESSE FLOYD JANES,[7] (Lula,[6] Joseph,[5] Sarah,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 22, 1901; m. Nov. 22, 1921, at Mattoon, Ill., Edith Votaw, b. June 6, 1899, at Neoga, Ill., daughter of Oren Votaw, b. Sept. 3, 1866, and Aurelia Field, b. Jan. 6, 1865. Mr. Janes is owner of Grand Tailors and Cleaners, Decatur, Ill., 411 Grand Ave. Residence address, 2014 N. Monroe St.

Children (Janes):

i. Marion Bruce, b. Mar. 18, 1923, at Etna, Ill.
ii. Arthur Votaw, b. Apr. 16, 1927, at Decatur, Ill.

288. DOROTHY LEONE JANES,[7] (Lula,[6] Joseph,[5] Sarah,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 27, 1903, in Coles Co., Ill.; m. June 17, 1922, at Neoga, Ill., Roy F. Gaddis, b. in 1899, at Mattoon, Ill., son of Peter F. Gaddis, b. Nov., 1872, and Anna Gaddis, b. Apr. 14, 1878. Mr. Gaddis is a mechanic living at 101 Foote Ave., Bellvue, Ky.

Children (Gaddis)—born at Etna, Ill.:

i. Philip Dean, b. Oct. 30, 1924.

289. IRA PAUL PARKER,[7] (Ira Lindon,[6] Sarah Catherine (Kate),[5] Alexander,[4] George,[3] William,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 2, 1908, at Neoga, Ill.; m. Jan. 28, 1927, at Mattoon, Ill., Gertrude McCartney, b. Sept. 17, 1908, at Neoga, Ill., daughter of William McCartney, b. Apr. 20, 1861; m. Sept. 8, 1893, at Leo, Ind., Minnie Shea, b. Apr. 17, 1869. Mr. Parker is a painter living at Neoga, Ill.

Children (Parker):

i. Norma Jeanne, b. Aug. 17, 1928.

PART IV.

John Cross of Virginia and His Descendants.

JOHN CROSS OF VIRGINIA AND HIS DESCENDANTS.

For years the story was carried by the Missouri Crosses that the first of the Cross family in America came over with Braddock and after his defeat and disbandment of the army, settled in Botetourt Co., Va. Because the family records showed that William Cross, Jr., had come from Botetourt Co., an examination of the records of that county was made. No records were found of the William Cross, Jr., who went to Ky. and then to Mo., except his marriage to Mary Eliza Rice, his second wife, but the records abound with other Cross names. The first name to be recognized is that of William Cross and wife Elizabeth who had children named William, Mary, Jane, John, and Elizabeth; then the records show many deeds by John Cross who married Polly Mays.

Other Cross names of a later date were found, but these cannot be connected with our family, although there might be some relationship. A William Cross made a will in 1835 and mentioned his wife Ann. Records show his first wife was Margaret, and he had children, whether by first or second wife is not indicated, named Jane, who married William Hill and went to Portage Co., Ohio, Esther McMurry, Elizabeth Flint and Polly who married John Upton. Ann's will was probated Dec., 1840, and mentioned her granddaughter, Ellen Compton, daughter, Jane Compton, and two daughters, Matilda Boyd and Ann Moore.

Then there was another William Cross who had a wife Margaret, and a son, Thomas, who married Aug. 18, 1801, Elizabeth Anderson. He made a land deed Oct. 9, 1826, and was dead by 1854, when his estate was appraised. He owned much land, evidently too much, for the records show that he lost much of it. He had sons (1) Augustine W., of Lynchburg, Va., whose wife was Adaline E., and (2d) John A., whose estate was appraised Apr. 16, 1874, and whose wife was Diana S., and (3) Samuel, whose wife was Agnes. Transfers of land were also made between Thomas R. Cross and wife, Olivia, and members of this same family.

In the winter of 1931 inquiry led to the discovery of a descendant of John Cross and Polly Mays, Mr. J. C. Dill, cashier of the bank at Buchanan, Va. He in turn referred us to Mr. L. L. Cross, an older member of the family at Long Beach, Calif., who had always been interested in family relationships and because of his age, was familiar with older generations. He made possible the finding of Mr. Otto Scott, of Mexico, Ind., who gave the story of the related

families of Whisler and Kinzie in Ind. Other members of the family have responded promptly, making it possible to add at the last minute (literally six months) the story of the Va. Crosses. It is not complete but enough is here, to make it possible for those related to understand the relationships. With all the help possible from the descendants of John Cross, of Virginia, no one has been able to produce records or legends going back of the material produced by the Missouri Crosses. Perhaps because of living in a new country, the Missouri pioneers looked back in longing to the country they had left and so kept fresh in the minds of their descendants the stories of earlier days.

In numbering the families we have continued the system followed in the earlier sections of this history, John Cross being No. 2 in Part I. The last number in Part III is 289, so the first child of John Cross is given the number 290. In listing the generations, John Cross and his children are listed under the second generation as he was the son of William Cross, Sr., the immigrant.

SECOND GENERATION.

2. JOHN CROSS,[2] (William[1]), b. in Botetourt Co., Va., in 1761; m. Sept. 24, 1795, by Rev. Samuel Gray, Polly Mays, daughter of John Mays and sister of James, John, Matt, Robert, and Susannah Mays; the sister being the wife of John Tate. (These details from Botetourt Records.)

Children (Cross)—all born in Botetourt Co., Va.:

i. Charlotte, m. Dec. 22, 1825 (Botetourt Records, Andrew McClure. They had three sons. Thomas served in the Southern Army, came back to Va., stayed until both parents died, then went to Wichita, Kan., about 1872, stayed several years, moved to Ft. Worth, Texas, where he died about 1915. Another son, Marquis was said to have died in early youth. A letter dated Nov. 20, 1857, from Fincastle, Va., was written by Marquis D. McClure to his aunt, Nancy Cross Kinzie, at Mexico, Ind. He refers to the fact that he is not yet married and also says, "Uncle William Ireland received two letters from Uncle Samuel which I had the pleasure of reading. I was very glad to hear that you were all well and had good luck on your journey and are pleased with the country and its inhabitants. Marriages have been scarce in this country since you left but I suppose it is owing to the pressure of money matters and not for want of affection in the hearts of the young men toward their lady loves," etc.

ii. Avalina buried in Green Lawn Cemetery, Mexico, Ind. Inscription on her tombstone reads: "Evalina, wife of William McClure, died Mar. 27, 1881, aged 72 years, 7 mo., 7 da." Their children were: (1) Andrew Jackson (Jack), m. Elizabeth Gish daughter of Daniel Gish. Children were: William, Catherine, and Jennie. They lived in Jewel Co., Kan. (2) John Buchanan (Buck), m. Agnes Denton. Last address, Jewel Co., Kan. (3) Charlie, d. at Old People's Home at

Mexico, Ind. His tomb in Green Lawn Cemetery has the inscription: "Charles McClure, d. July 22, 1890, aged 36 years, 7 mo., 3 da." (4) Mary Ann, m. (1st) Ben Fleshman and had a son, George W.; Ben Fleshman d. in Va. and in 1871 or 2, she m. (2nd) James Adams. While visiting her brothers in Kan. she died at her brother John's home on Easter Sunday, 1888. Her body was brought back to her home and buried in the Adamsboro Cemetery. It is said that one of her brothers in Kan. was a Dunkard preacher. Joe Buskirk, a foster son, lives at Logansport, Ind., R. # 5.

290. iii. John Mays, b. 1812; m. Mary S. Hammond.
291. iv. Aurelia, b. 1813; m. Henry Whisler.
292. v. Lewis, m. (1) Elizabeth Walter, (2) Rebecca Tankalesy.
293. vi. Mary (Polly), m. Andrew Dill.
294. vii. Nancy, b. 1818; m. Samuel Francis Kinzie.

viii. Cynthia, lived to be old, never married, buried on the Schultz farm near Buchanan, Va. A deed (Book 28, p. 80) shows she deeded 36 acres of land, Lot No. 11 of her father's estate to her niece, Mary Jane Dill, dated Aug. 4, 1846.

ix. Elizabeth, m. Abraham Peary, had a large family in Botetourt Co., but all efforts to reach them have failed.

x. Susannah, m. Joseph Holmes, is said to have had trouble with the rest of the family over the division of the estate, left Va., taking family Bible and other records with them. Botetourt records show a deed dated Mar. 26, 1853, an agreement between Joseph Holmes and Elizabeth Cross, transfering land to Stuart B. Penn, 120 acres at $20 an acre—land assigned in division of John Cross estate to Avaline McClure, wife of William McClure, Lewis, Aurelia, wife of Henry Whisler, Susannah, wife of Joseph Holmes and Melvina, wife of William Ireland. Another record dated Mar. 13, 1856, gives Joseph Holmes power of attorney to sell lands. Wm. Bell, clerk of Rhea Co., State of Tenn., does this for Susannah T. Holmes, wife of Joseph Holmes and Elizabeth Cross. (An examination of the Rhea Co., Tenn., records did not locate this family).

295. xi. Melvina, m. William Ireland.

THIRD GENERATION.

290. JOHN MAYS CROSS,[3] (John,[2] William[1]), b. 1812, in Botetourt Co., Va., d. Oct. 22, 1873, in Kansas; m. in 1847, at Fincastle, Va., Mary Susan Hammond, b. 1822, d. Mar. 5, 1905, daughter of Peter Hammond and Margaret Houseman. John M. was the last of the family to marry; he and Cynthia lived together until his mother's death.

Children (Cross)—all born in Botetourt Co., Va.:

i. Charles, b. Feb. 28, 1849; d. single, July 6, 1905.

ii. James M., b. June 11, 1851; d. Sept. 20, 1922, single, at Sedgwick, Kan.

iii. Luther Leonidas, b. Aug. 26, 1856, near Fincastle, Va.; m. Dec. 17, 1890, at Smithland, Livingston Co., Ky., Mary Josephine Talley, b. Nov. 2, 1865, daughter of Joseph Talley, b. Apr. 27, 1827, d. July 26, 1902; m. Feb. 10, 1857, at Smithland, Ky., Mary E. Duley, b. Jan. 6, 1837, d. July 30, 1921. Mr. Cross left Va. in 1877, stayed at Brownstone, W. Va., till June, 1879, then went to Kan., settled on a farm on Little Ark. River near Valley Center, Kan., left Kan. in Oct.,

1912, for Victoria, Texas, has lived in Long Beach, Calif., since Nov. 3, 1917. Address, 4116 Colorado St.

iv. Robert, b. Jan. 29, 1859; m. Laura May Ayres. No children. Address, 21 Neptune Place, Long Beach, Calif.

v. Georgianna, b. Sept. 12, 1863; m. Nov. 9, 1887, at Wichita, Kan., Charles L. Nelson, b. June 6, 1860, in Bindsville, Ky., son of Richard M. Nelson and Henrietta Williams of Livingston Co., Ky. They have one son, Harry, b. at Valley Center, Kan., Nov. 1, 1889. Address, 745 Litchfield Ave., Wichita, Kan.

L. L. Cross says: "I think it would be impossible to get hold of any old records as the old Cross home was sold about the time my father married and it went into the hands of strangers . . . It has been forty-seven years since the last of the family left Va.

"My two oldest brothers went to Sedgwick, Kan., in 1870, but after my father died my oldest brother went back to Va., and ran the farm until 1884, then he and my mother moved to Kan.

"My wife and I made our last trip to Va. in 1926. At that time we went to the old Cross home. The same old house is there where all the family were born and raised in it. It is a big two story log house with basement. It is lathed and plastered on the inside and weatherboarded on the outside. It has brick chimneys at each end and looks just like it did when I was a boy. The same spring that furnished water for the Cross family more than one hundred years ago was flowing nice when we were there."

291. AURELIA CROSS,[3] (John,[2] William[1]), b. July 9, 1813, in Botetourt Co., Va., d. at Mexico, Ind., Nov. 20, 1869; m. Mar. 26, 1833, Henry Whisler, b. May 22, 1804, d. Mar. 4, 1875.

Children (Whisler):

i. John, b. Aug. 15, 1824, d. in childhood.

296. ii. Mary Ann, b. Aug. 31, 1836; m. William B. Stanley.

iii. Charlotte, b. Feb. 7, 1838; m. Rufus Beckner at Fincastle, Va., in 1862, d. at York, N. D., in 1914. They had two daughters, Mary and Nancy Bell. Mary E. Beckner, b. Apr. 6, 1864, d. 1912; m. in Ind., Willis N. Lake, b. Sept. 15, 1860, d. 1920, son of Steve Lake. They had two children: (1) Rufus, b. in Ind., m. Mary Speer, lives at Sawyer, N. D.; (2) Wilbur, b. Oct. 3, 1898, in York, N. D., where he still lives; a grain buyer there.

297. iv. Mark, b. May 8, 1842; m. Jane Brownlee.

298. v. Nancy, b. Mar. 31, 1844; m. Warren Scott Dinsmore.

299. vi. Thomas, b. Aug. 27, 1849; m. Samantha Lake.

vii. Malvina, b. Jan. 21, 1852; m. in Mexico, Ind., John Surber who d. in Little Rock, Ark. They had two children, Nellie, and John who lives near Little Rock.

300. viii. William Andrew, b. Apr. 2, 1856, in Mexico, Ind.; m. Polly Himlech.

292. LEWIS CROSS,[3] (John,[2] William[1]), b. in Botetourt Co., Va.; m. Mar. 17, 1835, (1) Elizabeth Walter by whom he had one son,

Andrew Rusk Cross. Lewis Cross left Va. at the beginning of the Civil War and moved to Pike Co., Ky., then to Lewis, Kan., in 1879. He m. (2) Rebecca Tankalesy, and the children of this union stayed in Ky.

Children (Cross):

301. i. Andrew Rusk, b. June 1, 1836, in Botetourt Co., Va.; m. (1) Ruth Strickler, (2) Hannah Dugger.
ii. John; m. Tilda Clay and had children: (a) Lewis, (b) Rebecca.
iii. Polly; m. Ed. Ray. No children.
302. iv. Elizabeth, b. July 12, 1851; m. John Akers.
v. Joseph, b. July 12, 1858; m. Delany Mullins. He d. at Pikesville, Ky.

293. MARY (POLLY) CROSS,[3] (John,[2] William[1]), b. in Botetourt Co., Va.; m. Andrew Dill, b. 1800, d. 1881, son of Henry Dill. His will probated Mar. 4, 1881, names the heirs as: wife, Hettie; children, John and wife Eliza, Joseph Schultz and wife Mary J., George F. Pulse and Minerva S., George H. Ireland and Charlotte, Susan A. Dawson, formerly Susan A. Dill. Aug. 4, 1846, is a deed in which Cynthia Cross deeds to her niece, Mary Jane Dill, her lot No. 11 in the estate of John Cross, deceased, comprising 36 A. Andrew Dill m. (2) Mrs. Hettie Haymaker.

Children (Dill)—born in Botetourt Co., Va.:

i. Mary Jane, buried at Springwood, Va.; m. Joseph Schultz.
ii. Charlotte, buried at Springwood, Va.; m. George H. Ireland.
iii. Susan Ann, buried at Buchanan, Va.; m. Carter Dawson.
303. iv. John, b. Aug. 7, 1835; m. Eliza Jane Peck.
v. Lewis, m. June 5, 1852, Minerva Mays (his cousin). She m. (2) George F. Pulse, Mrs. Frank Perth, Lexington, Va., is a daughter.

294. NANCY CROSS,[3] (John,[2] William[1]), b. May 12, 1818, in Botetourt Co., Va., d. Dec. 31, 1870; m. Aug. 30, 1844, Samuel Francis Kinzie, b. July 2, 1824, d. Jan. 11, 1898, went to Ind. from Botetourt Co., after the Civil War.

Children (Kinzie):

304. i. Andrew T., b. Jan. 4, 1846; m. Lavinia Hyre.
ii. Melvina J., b. Oct. 9, 1847, d. Sept. 11, 1870; m. Isaac Flora.
305. iii. Bartholomew, b. Dec. 29, 1849; m. (1) Alice Armantrout, (2) Sarah Skinner.
306. iv. Sarah Catherine (Kate), b. July 10, 1852; m. D. A. Scott.
v. Hezekiah, b. Mar. 1, 1854, d. June 28, 1854.
307. vi. Aaron T., b. July 8, 1856; m. Hattie Losier.
vii. Charlotte V., b. Sept. 12, 1858, d. Aug. 1, 1861.
308. viii. William Levi, b. Nov. 30, 1860; m. (1) Ollie Myrtle Voorhis, (2) Zelma Scott, (3) Rebecca Elliott.

295. MELVINA CROSS,[3] (John,[2] William[1]), b. in Botetourt Co., Va.; m. William Ireland, b. Oct. 5, 1821, d. Oct. 31, 1902, at Mexico,

Ind. After Melvina Ireland's death, Wm. married again and had a daughter, Mrs. Nellie Lamphier, Ottawa Park Residence, Toledo, Ohio, who furnished information about this family.

Children (Ireland):

i. Elizabeth, d. 1910, m. Benjamin Jacobs, had one son who d. in childhood.
ii. Theophilus H. (Oppie), b. July, 1856, d. Oct. 18, 1923; m. Apr. 9, 1890, Alice Orilla Fisher, b. Feb. 15, 1863, daughter of Aaron Fisher and Susannah Brown. No children. Lived at Mexico, Ind. Druggist there.
iii. Sudie, d. 1911, married Richard Givens. Two sons, Fred and George, are living at 3422 Carroll Ave., Chicago, Ill.

FOURTH GENERATION.

296. MARY ANN WHISLER,[4] (Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 31, 1836, d. Feb. 10, 1919; m. 1865, William Barkus Stanley, b. 1831, d. Dec. 14, 1919, son of John Stanley and Eleanor Ayers of Ritchie Co., W. Va. He was a Southern soldier in the Civil War.

Children (Stanley):

309. i. Rosalie, b. in Va., May 22, 1868; m. John Helm.
310. ii. William Henry, b. in Mexico, Ind., June 1, 1870; m. Eva Beatrice Clark.
iii. Cornelia, b. at Mexico, Ind.; m. Jim Jackson, had one child, Elsie, d. when two years old. Live at Wheatfield, Ind.
iv. Aurelia (Topsy), b. Mexico, Ind.

297. MARK WHISLER,[4] (Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. May 8, 1842, near Roanoke, Va., d. Apr. 23, 1885; m. Mar. 7, 1872, near Roanoke, Martha Jane Brownlee, b. Sept. 21, 1848, d. Apr. 19, 1929, daughter of Philip Brownlee, b. Nov. 19, 1803, d. Sept. 16, 1876; m. Feb. 12, 1829, Barbara Leipes of Botetourt Co., Va. Mr. Whisler served in the Confederate Army, Va. Regiment for three years, three months. After Mr. Whisler's death, his widow m. (2) Jan. 31, 1886, James D. Beard, divorced in 1900.

Children (Whisler)—all born 10 miles S. W. of Lebanon, Ind.:

i. William James, b. Jan. 8, 1873, d. Jan. 19, 1873.
ii. Charles Monroe, b. Jan. 8, 1873, d. Jan. 15, 1873.
311. iii. Marietta, b. Oct. 19, 1874; m. (1) Les Zimmerman, (2) William Lowery.
iv. Mark, b. Oct. 14, 1882, attended Central Normal School, Danville, Ind. He is a farmer living near Lebanon, Ind., R. # 13. Mr. Whisler has his father's family Bible and the Brownlee Bible now 120 years old.
312. v. Sarah Catherine, b. Jan. 18, 1880; m. Samuel Leak.

298. NANCY WHISLER,[4] (Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Mar. 31, 1844, in Va., d. Feb. 21, 1920; m. in Boone Co., Ind., Oct. 26,

1871, Warren Scott Dinsmore, b. July 13, 1847, d. June 27, 1923, son of James Dinsmore and Phoebe Graham of Boone Co., Ind.

Children (Dinsmore):

313. i. James Ai, b. June 28, 1872, in Boone Co., Ind.; m. Eva Love.
ii. Henry Mi, b. June 28, 1872, d. infancy.
314. iii. Raymond Ancel, b. Aug. 4, 1874, in Mexico, Ind., m. Mildred Griswold.
iv. Nora Aurelia, b. July 9, 1877, d.
315. v. Dora Jane, b. Sept. 4, 1879, in Miami Co., Ind.; m. Earl Whitehill.
316. vi. Archie W., b. July 29, 1882, in Miami Co., Ind.; m. Irene Clay.

299. THOMAS WHISLER,[4] (Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 27, 1848, d. Aug. 31, 1924; m. Mar. 6, 1872, at Lebanon, Ind., Samantha Lake, b. Apr. 12, 1855, d. Feb. 4, 1922, daughter of Stephen Lake, a soldier in the Mexican War, and Elizabeth Parker of Ross Co., Ohio.

Children (Whisler)—all born near Lebanon, Boone Co., Ind.:

317. i. John, b. Jan. 31, 1873; m. Harriet Evaline Leak.
ii. Willanna, b. Sept. 11, 1874, d. Dec. 12, 1928; m. Sept. 25, 1891, Robert Graham and had children: (a) Ocie, m. Cecil Brooks and had children: Mabel, Wesley, Dorothy, d; Infant, d.; (b) Carl; (c) Earl; (d) Lawrence; (e) Everett. Address, Granville, N. D.
iii. Murat, b. Sept. 28, 1875, d. Mar. 14, 1931; m. (1) Emma Dale; (2) Mabel Sullivan; (3) Amanda Zeller. Lived at Cove, Ore. Had one daughter, Earline.
iv. Bessie, b. Sept. 29, 1882, d. infancy.
v. Artie Elizabeth, b. Aug. 29, 1884, d. Sept. 3, 1930 (single).
318. vi. Ira Ernest, b. July 2, 1889; m. Gussie Veatch.
vii. Clarence Edgar, b. June 16, 1891, d. Nov. 6, 1910, from tuberculosis.
viii. Elmer, b. June 20, 1893; m. Ona Hailey. Address, 125 Porter St. San Antonio, Texas. No children.
ix. Loren, b. Aug. 29, 1895, d. infancy.

300. WILLIAM ANDREW WHISLER,[4] (Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Apr. 2, 1856; m. May 29, 1881, Polly Himlech, b. Aug. 9, 1859, daughter of Andrew Himlech, b. New Year's Day, 1817, and wife Catherine. He is a farmer at Mexico, Ind.

Children (Whisler)—born at Mexico, Ind.:

319. i. Ethel June, b. June 19, 1882; m. Ben. Bond.

301. ANDREW RUSK CROSS,[4] (Lewis,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. June 1, 1836, in Botetourt Co., Va., d. Apr. 27, 1915, in Kansas; m. June 26, 1856, in Jacksonville, Floyd Co., Va. (now New Floyd), (1) Ruth Strickler, b. Apr. 3, 1834, in Floyd Co., Va., d. Dec. 15, 1886, daughter of Jacob Strickler and Mary Kagey of Floyd Co., Va. He m. (2) May 30, 1887, Hannah Dugger. Andrew Cross was a Southern spy in the Civil War.

Children (Cross):

i. Sarah Jane, b. Aug. 10, 1857, in Floyd Co., Va.; m. (1) B. C. Smith, (2) C. W. Radcliffe. One child, Claud Smith, b. May 6, 1892, d. Nov. 9, 1924, buried at Lewis, Kan.; m. Ruth Engstrom who d. June 13, 1921. Mr. and Mrs. Radcliffe live at Lewis, Kan.

320. ii. Samuel Thomas, b. Apr. 12, 1859, in Floyd Co., Va.; m. (1) Jennie Huckstep, (2) Ella Thompson.

iii. Charles Jacob, b. Dec. 28, 1863, in Peach Orchard, Ky.; m. Aug. 12, 1916, at Lewis, Kan., Emma Dykes, b. Aug. 20, 1880, in Hawkins Co., Tenn., daughter of Thomas S. Dykes, d. 1915; m. in Hawkins Co., Tenn., Rebecca Shipley, d. 1900. Mrs. Cross, R. N., graduate of Nurses Training School. Mr. Cross is a farmer at Lewis, Kan.

iv. Mary Elizabeth, b. Mar. 22, 1866, in Pike Co., Ky.; m. Edgar S. Croft. Children: (a) Hazel, b. Sept. 10, 1896, at Lewis, Kan. (b) Dulcie, b. Jan. 8, 1899, d. Jan. 19, 1899, (c) Preston, b. Mar. 9, 1901; m. Apr. 12, 1930, Helen Converse who d. July 5, 1930, at Kinsley, Kan.

v. James Lewis, b. Dec. 9, 1869, in Pike Co., Ky.; m. Mar. 16, 1904, in Lewis, Kan., Nellie C. Corner, b. Dec. 17, 1875, in Marietta, Ohio, daughter of Robert H. Corner, b. Mar. 13, 1848, d. Dec. 14, 1918, and Elizabeth Hoffman, b. Oct. 30, 1849. He is a farmer at Lewis, Kan.

vi. Andrew Critenton, b. Oct. 4, 1871, in Pike Co., Ky., d. July 11, 1874, at Lewis, Kan.

vii. Laura Bell, b. Mar. 31, 1874, in Pike Co., Ky.; m. Dan Hiller.

viii. Lee, b. Sept. 13, 1877, in Pike Co., Ky., d. June 4, 1879.

302. ELIZABETH CROSS,[4] (Lewis,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. July 12, 1851, in Scott Co., Va.; m. at Island Creek, Ky., John Akers, b. 1852, d. Aug. 17, 1921, son of James Wesley Akers, b. Dec. 12, 1828, d. Aug. 27, 1911, and Polly Branham of Pike Co., Ky. Mrs. Akers lives at Pikesville, Ky.

Children (Akers)—all born at Island Creek, Ky.:

i. George W., b. May 20, 1876; m. in Pike Co., Ky., Martha Roar, b. in Floyd Co., May 5, 1879, daughter of Michael Roar and Elizabeth Jane Irick, b. June 14, 1849, daughter of William B. Irick, b. Jan. 30, 1816, d. Dec. 12, 1898; m. Aug. 9, 1843, Lydia Clay, b. Sept. 8, 1826, d. Apr. 24, 1899. Mr. and Mrs. Akers live at Pigeon, Ky., and had children: (a) Harold, b. Sept. 18, 1899, d. Sept. 21, 1899; (b) Frank, b. Oct. 24, 1900, d. Oct. 26, 1902.

ii. Mary, b. May 20, 1878, d. single.

iii. Andrew, b. June 18, 1880; m. at Pikesville, Ky., Zettie Williams, b. Sept. 6, 1880, daughter of William Henry Williams, b. Oct. 3, 1840, d. May 1, 1917; m. Mar. 15, 1866, Matilda Jane Maynard, b. June 21, 1846, d. Oct. 6, 1915. No children living. Address, Pikesville, Ky.

iv. Moses, b. Sept. 10, 1884; m. Letha Compton. Address, Pigeon, Ky.

v. Eliza, b. Mar. 4, 1887; m. W. M. Fields. Address, Pigeon, Ky.

303. JOHN DILL,[4] (Mary,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 7, 1835, d. Sept. 30, 1914; m. Apr. 3, 1856, Eliza Jane Peck, b. Oct. 12, 1834, d. Sept. 19, 1912, daughter of William Peck and Louminah Finch. John Dill was 2nd Lieut., Co. K, 57 Va. Inf., served four years,

wounded at second Battle of Manassas and again in the third days' battle at Gettysburg, captured at Five Forks, Va., five days before Lee's surrender, was in prison at Johnson's Island, Ohio, until June 18, 1865, was in siege of Vicksburg and in the terrible days in the Wilderness near Frederickburg, in fact he saw much of the heaviest fighting in the Civil War as a Southern soldier.

Children (Dill)—all born in Botetourt Co., Va.:

321. i. Marietta, b. June 6, 1857; m. Otho Schultz.
ii. Sallie, b. Oct. 12, 1858, d. Oct. 25, 1862.
iii. Rufus Andrew, b. Oct. 4, 1863, d. Feb. 11, 1925.
iv. Lute Ann, b. Nov. 10, 1867; m. J. C. Dawson. Lives at Unionville, Va.
322. v. Joseph Calvin, b. Oct. 24, 1871; m. Elizabeth Ellis.
vi. William Otho, b. Feb. 27, 1873, lives at East Radford, Va.

304. ANDREW T. KINZIE,[4] (Nancy,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 4, 1846, d. May 30, 1895; m. (1) Dec. 22, 1870, Lavinia Hyre, b. Sept. 6, 1849, d. Mar. 17, 1888, daughter of Solomon Hyre and Mary Peffely of Cass Co., Ind. He m. (2) Ella Berry by whom he had one son, Floyd.

Children (Kinzie)—all born at New Waverly, Ind.:

i. Jacob F., b. Nov. 8, 1871; m. Catherine Keyes and had children: Ruth Ann, Helen and Arlene. Address, Mexico, Ind.
ii. Jesse L., b. Aug. 8, 1876; m. Jan. 18, 1902, in Brookville, Ohio, Bertha Quilling, b. July 24, 1878, near Englewood, Ohio, daughter of J. W. Quilling, b. Oct. 2, 1850, m. Jan. 23, 1872, near Englewood, Hattie Quilling, b. Aug. 15, 1854. Address, R. R. # 1, Dayton, Ohio.
323. iii. Sylvia E., b. Oct. 31, 1884; m. Eugene Quilling.
iv. Floyd, d. Feb., 1929.

305. BARTHOLOMEW KINZIE,[4] (Nancy,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Dec. 29, 1849, d. May 2, 1908, in Ind.; m. (1) Alice Armantrout, d. Mar. 17, 1877 and m. (2) Sarah Skinner.

Children (Kinzie)—all born in Ind.:

i. Frank, b. Feb. 15, 1876; m. Oct. 31, 1900, near Denver, Ind. Cecilly Pearce, b. Aug. 30, 1879, in Logansport, Cass Co., Ind., daughter of Willis J. Pearce and Charlotta Pearce. They had two children, Elvan who d. in infancy and Dwight who is married and lives at 515 E. 3rd St., Peru, Ind. Mr. Kinzie works in the R. R. shops and lives at 571 E. 5th St., Peru, Ind.
ii. Daughter, b. Mar. 12, 1877, d. Mar. 16, 1877.

306. SARAH CATHERINE (KATE) KINZIE,[4] (Nancy,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. July 10, 1852, d. Dec. 22, 1918; m. Dec. 25, 1873, Daniel A. Scott, b. Nov. 26, 1844, d. Mar. 3, 1930, son of Daniel Scott and Eleanor Dillhorn who came to Ind. in 1847 from Preble Co., Ohio. Mr. Scott was in the Civil War.

Children (Scott):

i. Myrtle Nancy, b. July 4, 1879; m. Oct. 18, 1916, Gus Schrader, living at Danver, Ind. No children.
324. ii. Walter Otto, b. Sept. 2, 1877; m. (1) Nellie Beard, (2) Esther Erlenbaugh Heasman.

307. AARON T. KINZIE,[4] (Nancy,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. July 8, 1856, in Ind., d. Nov. 18, 1921; m. at New Waverly, Ind., Sept., 1879, Hattie Losier, b. Sept. 19, 1861, d. Aug. 21, 1929, daughter of Daniel Losier and Catherine Harrison, of New Waverly, Ind.

Children (Kinzie):

325. i. Arthur, b. Feb. 12, 1882, at New Waverly, Ind.; m. (1) Nan Andrews, (2) Grace Bechtol. Address, 208 Huron Ave., Dayton, Ohio.
326. ii. Glen Ray, b. Feb. 8, 1884, at New Waverly, Ind.; m. Carrie Miller.
iii. Owen, b. at New Waverly, Ind.; m. Mary Bush. Address, Elwood, Ind.
iv. Russel, d., buried in Elwood, Ind.
v. Grace, d., buried in Elwood, Ind.
vi. Edward Cecil, b. at New Waverly, Ind.; m. Nina Long. Address, 240 Floral Ave., Dayton, Ohio.
327. vii. Ruth, b. Sept. 15, 1898, at Elwood, Ind.; m. (1) Charles Gazette, (2) Arthur Blauvelt.
viii. Iris, b. Dec. 22, 1901, at Elwood, Ind.; m. Robert Kirvis. Address, 2663 Hazel Ave., Dayton, Ohio.

308. WILLIAM LEVI KINZIE,[4] (Nancy,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Nov. 30, 1860; m. (1) Ollie Myrtle Voorhis, b. Jan. 5, 1862, d. Jan. 31, 1917; m. (2) Zelma Scott by whom he had two children, Irene and Sudie; m. (3) Rebecca Elliott who is living with him at 2016 South Mulberry St., Muncie, Ind.

Children (Kinzie):

i. Fern Lester, b. Jan. 19, 1883, in Cass Co., Ind.; m. Dec. 31, 1910, at Rochester, Ind., Estella Bailey, b. Nov. 10, 1885, at Rochester, daughter of Lewis Bailey and Amanda Tracy. He is a rural mail carrier living at Valparaiso, Ind.
ii. Claude Merle, b. Nov. 1, 1884, in Cass Co., Ind.; m. Ethel Hook. Address, Muncie, Ind., 22 Orchard Place.
328. iii. Guy Emerson, b. May 6, 1886; m. (1) Olive Wiedenhoeft, (2) Audrey E. Bainum.
329. iv. Fred Voorhis, b. Jan. 29, 1891, in Cass Co., Ind.; m. Mae Paul.
v. Ava, b. Aug. 12, 1894, d.
330. vi. Ada Pearl, b. Sept. 14, 1896, in Miami Co., Ind.; m. Otto Heath.
vii. Irene Georgia, b. Nov. 23, 1904, in Miami Co., Ind.; m. (1) Mark Wilcoxen. (2) ———, Griffith, Ind.
viii. Sudie Katherine, b. Apr. 1908; m. Mr. Harwick, Montrose, Colo.

FIFTH GENERATION

309. ROSALIE STANLEY,[5] (Mary Ann,[4] Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. May 22, 1868; m. John Helm. Address, 1217½ Corby St., South Bend, Ind.

Children (Helm):

i. David, Detroit, Mich.
ii. Sylvia, 215 Jefferson St., South Bend, Ind.; m. Mr. Matthews.
iii. John, 1217½ Corby St., South Bend, Ind.
iv. Elmore, South Bend, Ind.

310. WILLIAM HENRY STANLEY,[5] (Mary Ann,[4] Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. June 1, 1870, at Mexico, Ind.; m. May 22, 1897, at Wheatfield, Ind., Eva Beatrice Clark, b. July 9, 1882, in Cosholton Co., Ohio, daughter of Jacob Clark, b. Dec. 11, 1847, d. Mar. 9, 1926, m. at Wheatfield, Ind., Nov. 25, 1873, Emma Bouser, b. Apr. 9, 1859, d. Aug. 29, 1895. Mr. Stanley is a Machine Operator living at 815 Diamond Ave., South Bend, Ind.

Children (Stanley):

i. Frances M., b. Aug. 4, 1898, at Benton Harbor, Mich.; m. John Cleaver, 1024 Hickory St., Waukegan, Ill.
ii. Frank M., b. July 3, 1900, at Bertrand, Mich.; m. June 16, 1924, at Waukegan, Ill., Charlotte Wilma Rintzuh, b. Nov. 29, 1905, at Magdeberg, Germany, daughter of Herman Rintzuh, b. Aug. 25, 1871, and Minnie Dorothea Kraus, b. Mar. 10, 1873. Mr. Stanley attended Thomas Business College, served in the Canadian and American armies during the World War, is a furniture salesman living at South Bend, Ind. No children.
iii. Marie F., b. Apr. 7, 1908, at Wheatfield, Ind.; m. Paul Schmidt, lives at 1102 Bellevue Ave., South Bend, Ind.
iv. Bert E., b. Jan. 19, 1911, at Wheatfield, Ind.
v. Bessie M., b. Jan. 27, 1915, at Kalkaska, Mich.

311. MARIETTA WHISLER,[5] (Mark,[4] Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 19, 1874, at Lebanon, Ind.; m. Aug. 26, 1894, at Lebanon, Nathan Leslie Zimmerman, b. June 14, 1866, at Bedford City, Va., d. July 14, 1914, son of William Zimmerman, from Germany, who d. in Jan., 1897, and Lucy Ann Stone, b. Sept. 14, 1825, d. July 24, 1912. She m. (2) Oct. 13, 1921, William Lowery. Address, 324 3rd Ave. West, Williston, N. Dak.

Children (Zimmerman):

i. Albert, b. July 29, 1896, at Lebanon, Ind.; m. Mildred Barnes. Lives at Williston, N. D.
ii. Frank, b. July 28, 1899, at Lebanon, Ind., d. July 11, 1928.
iii. Raymond, b. Apr. 21, 1902, at Rugby, N. D., d. Oct. 24, 1918.

iv. Elva, b. Nov. 23, 1904, at Rugby, N. D.; m. George Brehm. Lives at Portland, Ore.
v. Alma, b. July 13, 1907, at Rugby, N. D.; m. C. K. Stidem. Lives at Williston.
vi. Ethel, b. Mar. 1, 1910, at Rugby, N. D; m. Harry Haney. Lives at Williston.
vii. Lora, b. Nov. 24, 1912, at Bonetrail, N. D. At home.

312. SARAH CATHERINE WHISLER,[5] (Mark,[4] Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 18, 1880, near Lebanon, Ind.; m. Samuel Leak, b. May 15, 1867, at Lizton, Ind., a farmer at Pittsboro, Ind.

Children (Leak):

i. Robert R., b. June 22, 1901, at Lizton, Ind., lives at Pittsboro.
ii. Bessie M., b. July 18, 1903, at Pittsboro, Ind.; m. Harold L. Vest. Address, Danville, Ind.
iii. Alice B., b. June 1, 1905, at Pittsboro, Ind.; m. Homer L. Long. Address, Pittsboro, Ind.
iv. Elva E., b. July 31, 1907, at Pittsboro, Ind.
v. Aubrey A., b. Feb. 8, 1910, at Pittsboro, Ind.

313. JAMES AI. DINSMORE,[5] (Nancy,[4] Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. June 28, 1872, in Lebanon, Ind.; m. Sept. 6, 1899, at Yountsville, Ind., Eva Love, b. June 3, 1871, at Tuscumbia, Mo., daughter of Samuel Love, b. Sept. 29, 1834, d. Mar. 28, 1910; m. Oct. 19, 1862, at Yountsville, Ind., Minerva Price, b. Sept. 30, 1840, d. June 29, 1920. Address, 3111 W. 116 St., Cleveland, Ohio.

Children (Dinsmore):

331. i. Pauline Margaret, b. Sept. 28, 1900, at Yountsville, Ind.; m. Wm. Harold Campbell.
ii. Samuel Warren, b. June 20, 1904, at Yountsville, Ind.
iii. Achsa, b. May 30, 1906, at Peru, Ind.; m. Elmer F. Swilek, May 8. 1930. One child, Jacqueline, b. July 24, 1931. Address, 3111 W. 116 St., Cleveland, Ohio.

314. RAYMOND ANCEL DINSMORE,[5] (Nancy,[4] Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 4, 1874, at Mexico, Ind.; m. May 25, 1907, at Bunker Hill, Ind., Mildred Agatha Griswold, b. June 14, 1884, in Miami Co., Ind., daughter of John Griswold, b. Mar. 6, 1857, d. Oct. 12, 1929; m. Mar. 30, 1879, at Mexico, Ind., to Eva Deniston, b. Mar. 21, 1858, d. 1919. Mr. Dinsmore is a carpenter, living at 1550 Brownell St., Peru, Ind.

Children (Dinsmore)—all born in Peru, Ind.:

i. Miriam Juanita, b. Feb. 24, 1911.
ii. Lowell Ancel, b. Mar. 15, 1913.
iii. Floyd Clifford, b. Jan. 28, 1918.
iv. Mildred Gwendolyn, b. May 13, 1922.

315. DORA JANE DINSMORE,[5] (Nancy,[4] Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 4, 1879, in Miami Co., Ind.; m. July 1, 1897, at Mexico, Ind., Earl Clifford Whitehill, b. Dec. 23, 1875, in Logan Co., Ohio. Address, R. # 4, Peru, Ind.

Children (Whitehill)—all born at Peru, Ind.:

i. Averill Aurelia, b. Apr. 29, 1898; m. Feb. 23, 1921, Carl Clifford See. b. Mar. 26, 1897, in Denver, Ind., son of Walter Fernando See, b. Feb. 15, 1867; m. 1887 at Denver, Ind., Alice Benedict, b. Jan. 10, 1866. Mrs. See attended Peru Business College and Mr. See the Coyne Electrical College in Chicago; he served in the World War; enlisted at Indianapolis, Ind., for service with Marine Corps, 2nd Casualty Co., 76 Co., 6 Reg., 2nd Div.; Foreign Service A. E. F., June 30, 1918, to Aug. 4, 1919; served with Army of Occupation in Germany from Dec. 13, 1918, to July 4, 1919; was in three of the four major offenses and received no wounds.
   (a) Children: Earl Noel, b. Dec. 13, 1921, Perry Twp., Fulton Co., Ind.; (b) Carol Aurelia, b. June 15, 1923, in Jefferson Twp., Miami Co.; (c) Walter Eugene, b. Aug. 22, 1924, in Peru, Ind.; (d) Peggy Jane, b. Sept. 9, 1930, in Jefferson Twp., Miami Co., Ind.
ii. Lyman Warren, b. Feb. 19, 1903, d. Feb. 16, 1909.
iii. Eva Madeline, b. Aug. 21, 1910, d. Sept. 19, 1910.
iv. Avis Lyonal, b. Feb. 20, 1912, d. Feb. 21, 1912.

316. ARCHIE W. DINSMORE,[5] (Nancy,[4] Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. July 29, 1882, in Miami Co., Ind.; m. at Peru, Ind., Oct. 10, 1906, Irene Clay, b. Mar. 4, 1887, daughter of David Z. Clay and Maria Louise Branning of Miami Co., Ind. Mrs. Dinsmore m. (2) Samuel Emmett Kennedy on Sept. 26, 1918. Address, Peru, Ind., R. # 4.

Child (Dinsmore):

332. i. Dorothy Lulu, b. Aug. 12, 1912; m. Dale E. Henry.

317. JOHN WHISLER,[5] (Thomas,[4] Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 31, 1873, in Harrison Twp., Boone Co., Ind.; m. at Lizton, Ind., Dec. 5, 1931. Harriet Evaline Leak, b. Sept. 29, 1877, at Lizton, Ind., daughter of John James Leak, b. Sept. 27, 1842, d. June 5, 1931; m. May, 1864, in Hendricks Co., Susan Perry, b. Nov. 17, 1838, d. Nov. 28, 1923. Mr. Whisler is a grocer and restaurant owner at Lebanon, Ind. Address, 1907 E. Walnut St.

Children (Whisler):

i. Anna, b. Oct. 3, 1901, at York, N. D.; m. June 1, 1922, Rev. Archie L. Patrick. Address, 900 N. Frost St., Pampas, Texas. Two children: Mildred Jean, d., and A. L., Jr.
ii. Flossie Fannie, b. Oct. 3, 1901, at York, N. D., d. at birth.
iii. Elizabeth, b. July 1, 1903, at Lizton, Ind., d. infancy.
iv. Oscar, b. July 1, 1903, at Lizton, Ind., d. infancy.

v. William, b. Oct. 22, 1904, in Boone Co., Ind.; m. July 3, 1928, Elsie Mary Wiedler. Address, 2211 So. High St., South Bend, Ind.
vi. Blanch Mildred, b. Oct. 22, 1908, at Granville, N. D., d. May 30, 1909.
vii. Nora Verna, b. May 22, 1912, at Pittsboro, Ind., was graduated from Pittsboro H. S. 1931.
viii. Violet Ruth, b. July 20, 1915, at Jamestown, Ind., d. Apr. 20, 1917.
ix. Mary Lois, b. Jan 3, 1918, at Pittsboro, Ind.

318. IRA ERNEST WHISLER,[5] (Thomas,[4] Aurelia,[3] John[2] William[1]), b. July 2, 1889, in Harrison Twp., Boone Co., Ind.; m. July 12, 1906, at Danville, Ind., Gussie Veatch, b. Nov. 26, 1890, in Hendricks Co., Ind., daughter of Jasper Newton Veatch, b. Nov. 23, 1867; m. Dec., 1887, Eva Viola Vanasdall, b. May 4, 1872, both of Boone Co., Ind. Address, R. # 13, Lebanon, Ind.

Children (Whisler):

i. Harold Ernest, b. Dec. 4, 1910, at Lebanon, Ind. Lives at 3307 Capitol St., Indianapolis, Ind., student in College.
ii. Albert, b. June 13, 1912, at Pittsboro, Ind.
iii. Fred, b. Aug. 24, 1913, at Pittsboro, Ind.
iv. Neal, b. Oct. 4, 1915, at Pittsboro, Ind.
v. Loran Arden, b. Mar. 20, 1917, at Pittsboro, Ind.
vi. Evelyn Pauline, b. July 19, 1922, at Lebanon, Ind.
vii. Eugene Earl, b. Apr. 14, 1929, at Lebanon, Ind.
viii. Robert Thomas, b. Nov. 22, 1930, at Lebanon, Ind.

319. ETHEL JUNE WHISLER,[5] (Wm. A.,[4] Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. June 19, 1882, at Mexico, Ind.; m. in Peru, Ind., Nov. 11, 1906, Ben S. Bond, b. Dec. 27, 1871, at Mexico, Ind. son of Jesse Bond, b. Apr. 4, 1882, d. Oct. 15, 1910, m. June 11, 1857, in Mexico, Ind., Harriet L. Haugh, b. Apr. 18, 1838, d. June 19, 1889. Address, Walkerville, Mich.

Children (Bond):

i. Ruth Ann, b. Nov. 5, 1909, at Monon, Ind., graduate of High School, 1929.
ii. Beulah Ethel, b. Jan. 26, 1911, attending Oceana Co. Teachers College.
iii. Albert Jesse, b. Oct. 31, 1913, at Mexico, Ind., graduate of High School, 1930.

320. SAMUEL THOMAS CROSS,[5] (Andrew R.,[4] Lewis,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Floyd Co., Va., Apr. 12, 1859, d. Nov. 22, 1930; m. (1) Apr. 14, 1886, Jennie Sarah Huckstep, b. Jan. 29, 1864, d. Sept. 12, 1916, daughter of Wm. Thos. Huckstep and Nancy Leslie Self. He m. (2) Oct. 15, 1919, at Hutchison, Kan., Ella Thompson.

Children (Cross)—all born at Lewis, Kan.:

i. Audra Bertha, b. Oct. 11, 1889; m. Charles Barstow, lives at Sand Point, Idaho. Two children, Wayne, 14, and Melvin, 12.
333. ii. LeRoy, b. Oct. 18, 1893; m. Carrie Eliza Crabtree.

iii. William Andrew, b. Aug. 22, 1895; m. Gladys York, lives at Garfield, Kan.
iv. Gladys, b. Jan. 2, 1898, at Lewis, Kan.; m. Dec. 2, 1919, at Long Beach, Calif., Graydon William Hoffman, b. Apr. 9, 1898, in Lewis, Kan., son of Wm. Chas. Hoffman, b. Sept. 8, 1853; m. Mar. 23, 1893, Elizabeth Slobohm, b. Oct. 12, 1868. Mr. Hoffman served in Navy-transport service three years.

321. MARIETTA DILL,[5] (John,[4] Mary (Polly),[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. June 16, 1857, in Botetourt Co., Va.; m. in same county, Jan. 16, 1888, Samuel Otho Schultz, b. Oct. 28, 1858, in Botetourt Co., son of Joseph H. Schultz and Mary J. Schultz.

Children (Schultz):

i. Vera Eunice, b. Sept. 3, 1890, in S. C. Address, 2019 Eye St., N. W., Apt. 701, Washington, D. C.
ii. John Keith, b. Mar. 1, 1892, at Buchanan, Va.; m. Leslie Lewis, daughter of J. L. Lewis and May McCulloch of Botetourt Co.
iii. Grace Eliza, b. Sept. 5, 1895, in Botetourt Co.; m. Claud Bingh. Address, Unionville, Va.
iv. Cynthia Sue, b. Jan. 17, 1899, in Botetourt Co.; m. Ernest Camper. Address, Orange, Va.

322. JOSEPH CALVIN DILL,[5] (John,[4] Mary,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 24, 1871, in Botetourt Co., Va.; m. Oct. 10, 1906, in Goochland Co., Va., Elizabeth Estelle Ellis, b. Mar. 3, 1879, in Goochland Co., daughter of LeRoy Dabney Ellis, b. May 7, 1836, d. Feb., 1920, m. Nov. 29, 1860, in Hanover Co., Va., Susan Anne Puryear, b. May 29, 1836, d. Apr. 1, 1912. Mrs. Dill attended Woman's College, Richmond, Va., now known as Westhampton. Mr. Dill is cashier of the Bank of Buchanan, at one time was mayor of the town. Address, Buchanan, Va.

Children (Dill)—born in Buchanan, Va.:

i. Joseph Ellis, b. Mar. 4, 1912.

323. SYLVIA E. KINZIE,[5] (Andrew T.,[4] Nancy,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 31, 1884, at New Waverly, Ind.; m. Apr. 15, 1906, at Dayton, Ohio, Eugene Quilling, b. Aug. 28, 1885, in Dayton, Ohio, son of Julius W. Quilling, b. Oct. 2, 1850, and Hattie Coble, b. Aug. 15, 1854, brother of Mrs. J. L. Kinzie (304). Mrs. Quilling attended Ashland College. Address, Dayton, Ohio, R. # 1.

Children (Quilling):

i. Marcella Lorene, b. Mar. 16, 1907, at Taylorsburg, Ohio; m. Alvin Whitehead. They have three children. Address, Dayton, Ohio, R. # 1.
ii. Hattie Lavinia, b. Oct. 19, 1908, at Taylorsburg, O., d. in infancy, buried in Ehrstine Cemetery, Taylorsburg, O.

iii. Clarence Irvin, b. Nov. 5, 1909, at Dayton, O.; m. Edith Burley. Address, Dayton, O., R. # 7.

324. WALTER OTTO SCOTT,[5] (Sarah,[4] Nancy,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 2, 1877 in Cass Co., Ind.; m. (1) Dec. 23, 1898, at Mexico, Ind., Nellie Beard, b. Mar. 3, 1886, at Cindaford, Gloucestershire, England, d. May 12, 1914, daughter of John Beard. He m. (2) Sept. 14, 1916, Esther Erlenbaugh Heasman. Mr. Scott is a rural mail carrier at Mexico, Ind.

Children (Scott)—all born at Mexico, Ind.:

i. Carl Daniel, b. Oct. 6, 1909. Lives at 416 W. Jefferson St., Ft. Wayne, Ind., where he attends college.
ii. Walter Ellis, b. Oct. 17, 1912.
iii. Adaline Lucille, b. Nov. 16, 1929.

325. ARTHUR V. KINZIE[5] (Aaron T.,[4] Nancy,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 12, 1882, at New Waverly, Ind.; m. (1) Nan Andrews, (2) Grace Bechtol. Address, 205 Huron Ave., Dayton, Ohio.

Children (Kinzie)—born in Dayton, Ohio:

i. Paul, b. Feb. 22, 1909.
ii. Virginia, b. Jan. 1, 1913.

326. GLEN RAY KINZIE[5] (Aaron T.,[4] Nancy,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Feb. 28, 1884, at New Waverly, Ind.; m. Feb. 18, 1914, at Dayton, O., Carrie Lee Miller, b. Dec. 28, 1886, at Dayton, daughter of Benjamin Miller, b. Apr. 7, 1854, d. Sept. 6, 1928, and Clara Kinsey, b. Jan. 19, 1858, of Montgomery Co., O. Mr. Kinzie is a tool maker living at 21 Waverly Drive, Dayton, O.

Children (Kinzie)—all born at Dayton, O.:

i. Kenneth Miller, b. May 16, 1916.
ii. Marjorie Phylis, b. Feb. 20, 1923.
iii. Elizabeth Ann, b. July 20, 1926.

327. RUTH KINZIE[5] (Aaron T.,[4] Nancy,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 15, 1898, at Elwood, Ind.; m. (1) Dec. 31, 1918, Charles E. Gazette, at Dayton, O.; m. (2) Sept. 1, 1926, at Urbana, O., Arthur Blauvelt, b. Feb. 22, 1871, in Wayne Co., Mich., son of Daniel Blauvelt, b. in 1838, d. Feb. 14, 1922, and Julia Kator, b. in 1844, d. Feb. 18, 1926. Charles Gazette served in the Aviation Corps during World War stationed at San Antonio, Tex., and Wright Field, Dayton, O. Address, Wheeler, Mich.

Child: born at Wheeler, Mich.:

i. Dorothy J. Gazette, b. May 24, 1920.

328. GUY EMERSON KINZIE[5] (Wm. L.,[4] Nancy,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. May 6, 1886, in Cass Co., Ind.; m. (1) Apr., 1912, Olive Wiedenhoeft, by whom he had one child, Velma; m. (2) June 29, 1919, in Wichita, Kan., Audrey E. Bainum, b. Dec. 28, 1894, in Woods Co., Okla., daughter of Charles E. Bainum, b. Jan. 10, 1861, m. Mar. 1, 1887, in Kansas, Jennie Sapp, b. Sept. 23, 1865. Mrs. Kinzie attended the Northwestern State Teachers College; Mr. Kinzie is an automobile mechanic and electrician. They live at Alva, Okla., where Mr. Kinzie is owner of the North East Garage.

Children (Kinzie):

i. Velma E., b. Feb. 11, 1913, at Lagro, Ind., lives at Andrews, Ind.
ii. Wanda B., b. July 26, 1921, at Alva, Okla.
iii. Wilmer L., b. Apr. 3, 1926, at Alva, Okla.

329. FRED VOORHIS KINZIE[5] (William,[4] Nancy,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Jan. 29, 1891, in Cass Co., Ind.; m. June 15, 1911, at Muncie, Ind., Mae Paul, b. July 26, 1889, in Delaware Co., Ind., daughter of George H. Paul, b. Aug. 6, 1833, d. May 21, 1900; m. in 1862 at Hagerston, Ind., Elizabeth Brower, b. Apr. 20, 1844, of Henry Co., Ind. Mr. Kinzie attended Ashland College, Ashland, O., and is a pastor at Harrah, Wash.

Children (Kinzie)—born at Muncie, Ind.:

i. Lois Pauline, b. June 8, 1913.
ii. Elizabeth Kathryn, b. Aug. 14, 1917.

330. ADA P. KINZIE,[5] (William,[4] Nancy,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 14, 1896, at Logansport, Ind.; m. Mar. 17, 1917, at State Center Iowa, Otto F. Heath, b. Mar. 13, 1893, at Montrose, Colo. Address, Cupertino, Calif.

Children (Heath):

i. William P., b. Feb. 9, 1918, in Peoria, Ill.
ii. Pearl H., b. Jan. 3, 1920, in Montrose, Colo.
iii. Mina Faye, b. July 18, 1927, in Montrose, Colo.

SIXTH GENERATION.

331. PAULINE MARGARET DINSMORE[6] (James Ai,[5] Nancy,[4] Aurelia,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Sept. 28, 1900, at Yountsville, Ind.; m. Jan. 29, 1924, at Cleveland, Ohio, William Harold Campbell, b. Sept. 14, 1896, at Gill, Mass., son of William Lawrence Campbell and Mary Ann Bellmore of Franklin Co., Mass. Address, Cleveland, Ohio.

Children (Campbell):

i. LaVon, b. Aug. 19, 1929, at Toledo, Ohio.

332. DOROTHY LULU DINSMORE[6] (Archie,[5] Nancy,[4] Nancy,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Aug. 12, 1907, at Peru, Ind.; m. June 2, 1927, at Bryan, Ohio, Dale Edward Henry, b. Aug. 11, 1901, at Merrill, Mich., son of David Henry, b. Feb. 17, 1860, who m. about 1884 or 1885, Nettie Mae Thomas, b. Mar. 27, 1868; this couple lived in Saginaw Co., Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Henry live at 619 Spencer St., Detroit, Mich.

Children (Henry)—born in Detroit, Mich.:

i. Dale Edward, Jr., b. May 30, 1928.
ii. Joyce Elaine, b. Jan. 30, 1930.

333. LEROY CROSS[6] (Sam,[5] Andrew R.,[4] Lewis,[3] John,[2] William[1]), b. Oct. 18, 1893, at Johnson, Kan.; m. July 18, 1915, in Lewis, Kan., Carrie Eliza Crabtree, b. Oct. 9, 1894, at Dorrance, Kan., daughter of Henry Crabtree, of Russell Co., Kan., b. Aug. 19, 1860; m. Aug. 30, 1893, Inez Gray, b. Feb. 24, 1870. Mr. Cross attended the Colo. State Teachers College and is a farmer living at Johnson, Kan.

Children (Cross):

i. Stena, M., b. Nov. 5, 1916, at Lewis, Kan.
ii. Vera Marcile, b. Nov. 9, 1918, at Colorado Springs, Colo.
iii. Infant, b. and d., Dec. 26, Colorado Springs.
iv. Inez June, b. July 4, 1927, at Trinidad, Colo.
v. Eula Lorraine, b. Dec. 16, 1929, at Johnson, Kan.

PART V.

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CHAPTER I

BRIEF RECORD OF McCOWN FAMILY.

William Cross, Jr., son of William Cross, the emigrant pioneer, of Botetourt County, Virginia, about 1791 married, probably in Sullivan County, Tennessee, not far from Botetourt County, Sarah McCown, born in 1774, daughter of George McCown who was born in Scotland and died probably in Christian County, Kentucky, where his family lived for several years, and his wife Peggy who was born in Ireland and died in Illinois in 1836. A sandstone marker, now badly defaced, marks her resting place in the Old Baptist Cemetery six miles from Neoga, Coles County, Illinois. Tradition says that George and Peggy McCown were married in England and emigrated to America.

When William Cross, Jr., and Sarah McCown were married they went to Madison County, Kentucky, and settled there, where two sons were born to them, George and John. About 1794 for some unexplained reason, they agreed to separate. Sarah took her son George and went to her relatives in Tennessee, and William took the other son and went to his people in Botetourt County, Virginia.

In Tennessee, Sarah (McCown) Cross married a Mr. Clark but soon separated from him. Then either in Tennessee or Christian County, Kentucky, to which the McCown family had moved, she married Adam Moore by whom she had ten more (Moore) children. The most or all of these children were born in Christian County. The Moore family and Peggy McCown (it is uncertain if her husband, George McCown, was living then) emigrated to Illinois about 1812 or a few years later; after two or three moves they settled in Coles County, Illinois.

Sarah (McCown) (Cross) Moore died Feb. 19, 1851, aged seventy-seven years, and was buried in the Old Baptist Cemetery near Neoga, Illinois. After the death of his wife, Adam Moore returned to Christian County, Kentucky, and lived there until his death. Several members of this family lived in Coles County in the early days, but no trace was found of the descendants in recent years. A few years before he died, Samuel Moore, a son of Adam Moore, visited the Crosses in Missouri and renewed family relationships.

Children (Moore):

i. David, m. Elizabeth, d. Oct. 14, 1849, aged 43 yrs., 7 mo., 12 da. He died in Mo. in 1877.
ii. Peggy, m. Merriwether Sanders Jan. 16, 1813, in Christian Co., Ky., and they moved to Miss. in 1850.
iii. Elizabeth, d. in Ill. in 1859, m. Abraham Sayers.
iv. Alexander, d. in Ill. in 1859.
v. James, b. June 1812, d. in Ill. July, 1833.
vi. William, d. in Ill. in 1860.
vii. Samuel, d. Dec. 8, 1865, aged 50 yrs., 9 mo., 20 da.; m. Rebecca who d. Feb. 11, 1855, aged 29 yrs., 3 mo., 24 da. Three other children.

Other dates from the Old Baptist Cemetery that refer to this family are:

Infant son of D. and E. Moore, d. Feb., 1833.
Elizabeth, daughter of D. and E. Moore, d. Sept. 1, 1843, age 1 yr., 6 mo.
Infant of D. and M. Moore, d. Feb., 1852, age 2 days.
Margaret A., daughter of D. and M. Moore, d. Aug. 6, 1854, age 1 yr., 4 mo., 17 da.
Samuel, son of D. and E. Moore, d. June 30, 1846, age 1 yr., 11 mo., 28 da.
Margaret E., daughter of B. and S. Moore, d. Oct. 15, 1854, age 2 yrs., 2 mo., 19 da.
George, son of D. and E. Moore, d. Mar., 1846, age 12 da.

CHAPTER II

HARRIS-MARTIN FAMILIES.

Tradition says, and all known records indicate, that the Harris family is of Welsh origin. The following are some of the publications that give an idea of the magnitude and history of the Harris and allied families in America: "Harris Genealogy" by Gideon Harris; "Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy," Vol. I and III;" "Colonial Families of the United States," Vol. VII;" "Americans of Gentle Birth;" "Claiborne Pedigree" by G. M. Claiborne; "History and Genealogies" by William Harris Miller; "Gentry Family in America" by Richard Gentry; "The Richmond (Va.) Times-Dispatch" of April 10, 1904 and Feb. 26, 1905; and "Lamb's Biographical Dictionary."

An old Harris Bible in the possession in 1902 of Mr. E. Stuart Johnson of Richmond, Va., has this record: "Robert Harris came from Wales 1650-1660 and located in the Forks of Hanover, married Mrs. Rice, nee Claiborne. Issue: Col. William Harris, Burgess for Hanover also Henrico, married Temperance Overton."

John Fiske in his "Old Virginia and Her Neighbors" says "Mary Claiborne, daughter of Sec'y William Claiborne, married Edward Rice and after his death she married Maj. Robert Harris of the Fork in Hanover County."

FIRST GENERATION

(1HM) ROBERT HARRIS,[1] b. 1635, d. 1701, emigrated from Wales to America between 1650 and 1660, married about 1670 Mary (Claiborne) Rice, daughter of William Claiborne, the first Secretary in the Virginia Colony, appointed by the King.

On a brass memorial tablet in Cliburn Church, near Penrith, Westmorelandshire, is the following: "Insuper et in memoriam Guielmi de Cleyborne sen Claiborne primi e Secretis Coloniae Virginiensis qui anno vixit MDCXXVII" (See "Virginia Carolorum," p. 43, by Edward Neill.)

Col. William Claiborne, b. 1587, d. 1677, married 1st Jane Butler of London, married 2nd, in Va., Elizabeth ——— about 1644 and his children were: 1. William; 2. Leonard; 3. Jane; 4. Thomas; 5. Mary, b. about 1649, m. 1st Edward Rice, m. 2nd Maj. Robert Harris about 1670. Col. William Claiborne was the

second son of Sir Edmund Cliburne and his wife Grace Bellingham and is the twenty-seventh generation in descent through Alfred the Great, King of England, from Athelwolf, King of the West Saxons, who was the father of Alfred. (See Browning's Magna Charta Baron's; Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerages, 1831 Edition for Neville, Beauchamp, Bohun, DeToni, Stafford, de Clare, Bigod and De Quincy.)

So far as is known Robert Harris had but the one child.

Children (Harris)—born in Va.:

2HM i. William, b. about 1672, m. Temperance Overton.

SECOND GENERATION.

(2HM) WILLIAM HARRIS[2] (Robert[1]), b. about 1672, d. 1720, a large land owner in Virginia, and Burgess for Hanover and Henrico Counties, m. about 1696 Temperance Overton, b. Mar. 2, 1679, d. Feb. 19, 1710. Temperance Overton is buried at "Glencairn" and this is the inscription on her tombstone:

"Here lies the body of
Temperance Harris, deceased
the 19th of February 1710"

She was the daughter of William Overton of "Glencairn," Hanover County, Va., and a granddaughter of Col. Robert Overton of England, who distinguished himself at the Battle of Marston Moor, and went with Cromwell to Scotland and was in charge of a brigade at the Battle of Dunbar, soldier and scholar, an intimate friend of John Milton who celebrated Overton's exploits in his "Defensa Secunda." He was b. 1609, d. post 1668, m. Anne, daughter of Jeremy Gardner of Stratford Box, Middlesex, Eng.

William Overton, son of Col. Robert, was born 1638, married Elizabeth Waters, Nov. 24, 1670. They emigrated to Va., 1681 and their children were: (1), Elizabeth, b. June 28, 1673, m. Robert Anderson; (2), William, b. Aug. 14, 1675, m. Peggy Garland; (3), Temperance, b. Mar. 2, 1679, d. Feb. 19, 1710, m. William Harris; (4), Samuel, b. Aug. 14, 1685, m. Miss Carr; (5), James, b. Aug. 14, 1688; (6), Barbara, b. Feb. 5, 1690, d. Oct. 30, 1766, m. John Winston.

Elizabeth Waters, wife of William Overton, was the daughter of Samuel Waters, b. about 1617, d. 1665, buried from St. Sepulchre's Without Newgate, London, Sept. 6, 1665. His wife Anne, d. 1700 and in her will mentions daughter, Elizabeth Overton and son-in-law, William Overton of Virginia.

Children (William Harris and Temperance Overton):

3HM i. Maj. Robert, b. 1698, m. Mourning Glenn.
ii. Overton, m. Anne Nelson.
iii. Frederick, m. Eliza Terrill.
iv. Temperance, m. ——— Baker.
v. Jemima, m. William Overton.
vi. Keziah, m. James Nelson.
vii. Mary, m. Edward Nelson.
viii. Anne Emillia, m. William Day.
ix. Benjamin, m. Mary ———. He was a soldier in Capt. Christopher Hudson's Co. of Rangers in 1758 until legally discharged. Fredk. Harris, brother of Benjamin, guardian to Overton Harris, heir-at-law to said Benjamin Harris. (See Va. Colonial Militia, p. 28, by W. A. Crozier). Will of Benjamin Harris of Trinity Parish, Louisa Co., Va., proved Oct. 14, 1765; wife Mary, executor; brothers, Frederick and Robert Harris, James Overton, witnesses. Children: Overton, Robert and Nancy.

THIRD GENERATION

(3HM) MAJ. ROBERT HARRIS[3] (William,[2] Robert[1]), b. 1698, d. 1765, m. 1720, Mourning Glenn, b. 1702, d. 1776. He lived in Hanover Co., Va. When the County of Louisa was formed from Hanover in 1742, he was in the part cut off and in 1744 was Surveyor of Louisa Co. He served as Burgess for Hanover 1736-1738-1742 and patented lands in Albemarle Co. in 1750. He was sheriff of Louisa Co. in 1751 and subsequently located in Albemarle Co., holding various offices until his death in 1765. His will is recorded in Book 2, p ; 85.

"Mourning Glenn was a remarkable woman, kind, generous, charitable, a devout Christian, and much beloved by her acquaintances and offspring. Her children and descendants down through the generations gave a daughter the name 'Mourning,' showing their high estimation of Mourning Glenn Harris." (W. H. Miller's History and Genealogy). She had a brother, Tyre Glenn, and one of her several sons was "Tyre Harris;" so we find the name "Tyre or Tyre Harris," borne by scores of her descendants, and likewise the name "Overton," brought into the Harris family by Temperance Overton, has followed down through the generations, applied equally to boys and girls.

Children (Harris)—born in Va.:

i. James, b. 1722, d. 1792, was a private in 2nd Va. Regt., French and Indian War. (See W. A. Crozier, Va. Colonial Militia, p. 41.) He m. his cousin, Mary Harris.
ii. Tyre, b. about 1723.
4HM iii. Christopher, b. Feb. 1725, m. (1st) Mary Dabney; (2nd) Agnes (Nancy) McCord.
iv. Robert, m. Lucretia Brown. Capt. in the Revolution (See "Albemarle County in Virginia" p. 221, by Rev. Edgar Woods).

v. William, d. 1776, m. Hannah Jameson.
vi. Lucy, m. William Shelton.
vii. Sarah, m. John Rodes.
viii. ————, m. William Dalton.
ix. Mourning Glenn, m. Capt. John Jouett.
x. Elizabeth, m. William Crawford.
xi. Nancy, m. Joel Crawford.
xii. Anna, m. John Dabney.

FOURTH GENERATION

(4HM) CHRISTOPHER HARRIS[4] (Maj. Robert,[3] William,[2] Robert[1]), b. Hanover Co., Va., Feb., 1725, m. 1st in 1745, Mary Dabney, by whom he had seven children; m. 2nd in 1762, Agnes (Nancy) McCord, b. 1741, by whom he had ten children.

"Christopher Harris was in Ky. on the 17th day of May, 1780." "Christopher Harris enters 1200 acres on the North Fork of Licking, May 17, 1780." (See Jefferson Co., Ky., Entries, Book A, p. 66). Christopher Harris, member Ky. Militia 1780 (See "List of Revolutionary Soldiers of Virginia," p. 203, by H. J. Eckenrode.)

Quoting from his will: "And as to my lands on Licking waters, my will is that if they are obtained it should be sold and equally divided amongst my last set of children." This land was obtained, for the heirs of Christopher Harris, deceased, made a deed dated Dec. 2, 1809, to James Guthrie and Samuel Williams to 600 acres (a part of the 1200 acres) on Hinkston's Fork (which is the North Fork) of South Licking in Bourborn Co., Ky. (Madison Co. Records).

"Christopher Harris settled in Madison Co., Ky., about 1780, died about 1794" (See "Genealogy of the Harris Family" (manuscript) by E. Stuart Johnson).

One of the three counties created from Fincastle in 1776 was Kentucky County. In May, 1780, Kentucky was divided into three counties, viz: Jefferson, Fayette and Lincoln. Madison was taken from Lincoln in 1785. The will of Christopher Harris was probated in Madison Co., Mar. 14, 1794. All of his seventeen children reached adult age and all but one (Margaret who died single), married and reared families.

Children (Harris)—born in Va.:

i. Dabney, moved to N. C.
5HM ii. Sarah, m. James Martin.
6HM iii. Robert, m. Nancy Grubbs.
iv. Mourning, m. Foster Jones.
v. Christopher, m. Elizabeth Grubbs.
vi. Mary, m. George Jones.
vii. Tyre, no record.
viii. Jane, b. Sept. 18, 1763; m. Richard Gentry (See 5GB).
ix. John, b. 1765, d. 1810, m. Margaret Maupin.

x. Overton, d. 1827, m. Nancy Oldham.
xi. Benjamin, m. (1st) Frances Jones, (2nd) Nancy Burgin. He and his brother, John, signed the Albemarle Declaration of Independence, Apr. 21, 1779. (See Rev. Edgar Woods: History of Albemarle Co., Va., p. 365).
xii. Margaret, died single.
xiii. Barnabas, m. Elizabeth Oldham.
xiv. James, d. 1787, m. Susannah Gass.
xv. Samuel, m. Nancy Wilkerson.
xvi. William, m. Ann Oldham.
xvii. Isabella, m. John Bennett.

It would be difficult to find another family which has wielded a greater influence in social, religious, civic and political affairs than has that of old Christopher Harris and the descendants of his seventeen children. They are noted for long life and large families; high intelligence, thrift, religious zeal, daring and lofty patriotism. They have contributed greatly to the honor of this country at home and abroad. Their names are closely linked with the following families: Bennett, Blythe, Broaddus, Brown, Burnam, Bush, Chenault, Clay, Collins, Covington, Crews, Dinwiddie, Ellison, Embry, Estill, Eubank, Frakes, Garland, Gass, Gentry, Grubbs, Holman, Jamison, Jones, Kavanaugh, Martin, Maupin, Miller, Noland, Oldham, Rodes, Rollins, Smith, Stone, Thorp, Wallace, White, Wilkerson, Woods.

FIFTH GENERATION

(5HM) SARAH HARRIS[5] (Christopher,[4] Maj. Robert,[3] William,[2] Robert[1]), m. in Albermarle Co., Va., James Martin. They moved to Madison Co., Ky., 1786 or earlier, where he died. His will, dated July 5, 1796, was probated there Mar. 5, 1797. He was a member of Albemarle Co. Militia 1758, French and Indian War (See Hening's Statutes Vol. 7).

Children (Martin)—born in Albemarle Co., Va.:

i. Azariah, a noted scout, Indian spy and woodsman, was living in Madison Co., Ky., on the War Road, 1780. (See Madison Co. Circuit Court Records.)
ii. Christopher, m. Anna Turner.
7HM iii. David, m. (1st) Sallie Turner, (2nd) Oney Gentry.
iv. William, b. 1765, d. 1841, m. Winifred Gentry (See 6GB, Gentry-Blythe). He was member of Benj. Harris' Co., Albemarle Co. Militia in Revolution. (See "Virginia Soldiers of 1776" p. 1247, by Louis A. Burgess.) Richard Gentry was also in this company.
v. Tyre, m. Sept. 22, 1798. Mourning Jones.
vi. James, d. before his father made his will.
vii. Hudson, m. Jane Lewis.
viii. Nathan.
ix. Robert, m. Jan. 17, 1799, Polly Noland.
x. Mary, m. Julian P. Profit who d. in 1818.

(6HM) ROBERT HARRIS[5] (Christopher,[4] Maj. Robert,[3] William,[2] Robert[1]), m. Nancy Grubbs, daughter of Higgason Grubbs. They with their family emigrated to Madison Co., Ky.

Higgason Grubbs was trustee of Boonesborough, 1787, established Grubbs Station on Tates Creek, Madison Co., Ky., in 1781, was in Ky. in 1780. See Deposition of Higgason Grubbs, Madison Co. Circuit Court (E, p. 228) where he "deposeth that he and Jesse Coffee camped at the foot of the beech tree where we are now tonight in 1780 when they went out a buffalo hunting and made the letters H. G. J. C. and the figures 1780, etc."

Children (Harris)—born in Albemarle Co., Va.:

i. Tyre, m. June 2, 1803, Sallie Garland. In 1816 he and his family and many relatives emigrated from Madison Co., Ky., to Boone Co., Mo. He and his half cousin Judge Overton Harris (father of Judge James Harris), were among the leading citizens of Boone Co., Mo., where they spent the remainder of their lives. The descendants of these two men and families closely related to them, furnished a large contingent of the staunchest citizens of the counties of Boone, Randolph, Audrain and Callaway. Among the children of Tyre and Sallie Garland Harris were Overton, who m. Mary Ellington; William Hayden, who m. Amelia Ellington; Thomas Berry, who m. a cousin Frances Harris and were the parents of Marshall Harris of Sturgeon, Mo.; Sallie Ann, who m. Dr. A. Dinwiddie.

SIXTH GENERATION

(7HM) DAVID MARTIN[6] (Sarah,[5] Christopher,[4] Maj. Robert,[3] William,[2] Robert[1]), m. 1st Sallie Turner; 2nd, Oney Gentry, b. in Albemarle Co., Va., in 1767, moved with her parents to Madison Co., Kentucky, in 1786. The Martins had moved there perhaps some years earlier. About 1790 David Martin was killed at a house-raising by a falling log. There was only one child.

Children (Martin)—b. in Madison Co., Ky.:

8HM i. David Gentry, b. July 25, 1789.

SEVENTH GENERATION

(8HM) DAVID GENTRY MARTIN[7] (David,[6] Sarah,[5] Christopher,[4] Maj. Robert,[3] William,[2] Robert[1]), b. in Madison Co., Ky., July 25, 1789, d. on his farm in Howard Co., Mo., two miles N. W. of Roanoke, June 30, 1870; m. Elizabeth Lamb. He was a private in Capt. Silvanus Massie's Co. under Col. William Williams Ky. Vol., War of 1812, and in the Battle of the Thames. (See "The Battle of the Thames," p. 251 by Bennett H. Young). There were several children, among whom were James and Tyre Harris Martin, but data was secured only for the one child listed below.

Children (Martin)—born near Roanoke, Mo.:

9HM i. Cordelia Gentry, b. Mar. 10, 1818, m. Rice Patterson.

EIGHTH GENERATION

(9HM) CORDELIA GENTRY MARTIN[8] (David,[7] David,[6] Sarah,[5] Christopher,[4] Maj. Robert,[3] William,[2] Robert[1]), m. in spring of 1838, Rice Patterson, b. Feb. 25, 1811, d. Jan. 15, 1877. He was a highly esteemed citizen and well to do farmer near Roanoke, Mo. She died Jan. 5, 1881.

Children (Patterson)—born near Roanoke, Mo.:

i. Ellen, b. Nov. 25, 1839, m. 1861, James Humphrey.
10HM ii. Elizabeth, b. Nov. 25, 1841, m. Dr. Thomas Head.
11HM iii. Thomas Clay, b. Dec. 21, 1843, m. Laura Benton.
iv. David, b. Nov. 1847, d. 1910, m. Mollie Allen who d. 1930.
v. James Harvey, b. Aug. 4, 1850, d. 1918, m. Bettie Eddings.
vi. Tyre Harris, b. 1852, d., m. Mattie Wayland.
vii. Kate Neola, b. Oct. 5, 1858, d.; m. Oct. 1877, James Fisher.

NINTH GENERATION

(10HM) ELIZABETH PATTERSON[9] (Cordelia,[8] David,[7] David,[6] Sarah,[5] Christopher,[4] Maj. Robert,[3] William,[2] Robert[1]), b. Nov. 25, 1841, d. Dec. 29, 1875, lived in Randolph Co., Mo., near Roanoke; m. Sept. 2, 1854, Dr. Thomas B. Head.

Children (Head)—born near Roanoke, Mo.:

i. James D., m. Miss Wayland, lives near Portland, Ore.
12HM ii. Florence, b. May 7, 1861, m. John Albert Pitts.
13HM iii. Texie E., m. George T. Gould.

(11HM) THOMAS CLAY PATTERSON[9] (Cordelia,[8] David,[7] David,[6] Sarah,[5] Christopher,[4] Maj. Robert,[3] William,[2] Robert[1]), b. Dec. 21, 1843, near Roanoke, Mo., d. Jan. 30, 1904; m. Laura Benton, b. Oct. 26, 1850, d. Jan. 3, 1926.

Children (Patterson)—born near Roanoke, Mo.:

i. Neola, b. Dec. 16, 1871, educated at Lexington and Hardin College, Mexico, Mo.
ii. Grace, b. Feb. 10, 1875; m. D. Boone Denny. Children: (a) Thomas P.; (b) Rachel; (c) Mary Laura.
iii. Gordon, b. Dec. 25, 1878; m. Mary Belle Wilhoit. Children: (a) Laura Arvis.
iv. Helen, b. Aug. 31, 1881; m. Aug. 28, 1918. Gordon Farris. No children.

TENTH GENERATION

(12HM) FLORENCE HEAD[10] (Elizabeth,[9] Cordelia,[8] David,[7] David,[6] Sarah,[5] Christopher,[4] Maj. Robert,[3] William,[2] Robert[1]), b.

May 7, 1861; m. John A. Pitts, Jr., b. Mar. 2, 1862, whose father S. Y. (Younger) Pitts was a noted divine in the Missionary Baptist Church and a son of John A. Pitts, Sr., b. in 1800, d. in 1876 on his large estate four miles east of Roanoke, Howard Co., Mo., on which he located when he came from Ky. about 1825.

John A. Pitts, Sr. had acquired much wealth, but his life was greatly saddened by the loss of his young wife; after which he lived alone, with tenants as companions. His grandson, John A. Pitts, Jr., now lives on the old farm in a house rebuilt after the cyclone of 1927 wrecked the old mansion. Besides the son named above, John A. Pitts, Sr. had a child who died in infancy and a daughter who died at eighteen.

Children (Pitts)—born near Roanoke, Mo.:

i. Anna Winston, b. Mar. 9, 1884; m. W. H. Stark, one child (a) Mildred.
ii. Kate, b. Aug. 29, 1887; m. Burton L. Meyers, lives at Detroit, Mich. Children: (a) Marion; (b) Garth.
iii. Mattie B., b. Nov. 14, 1889; m. R. R. Greenhood, lives at Mexico. Mo.
iv. Harva, b. Jan. 20, 1892; taught school in Calif., lives at home.
v. John A., III, b. Aug. 16, 1895; m. Nellie Smith. Children: (a) John Moreland; (b) Gilbert; (c) Joan.
vi. Elizabeth, b. 1900; m. J. T. Mackey, Dallas, Texas.
vii. Augusta, b. June 20, 1897; m. M. D. Mize. One child: (a) Jack, Omaha, Neb.

(13HM) TEXIE E. HEAD[10] (Elizabeth,[9] Cordelia,[8] David,[7] David,[6] Sarah,[5] Christopher,[4] Maj. Robert,[3] William,[2] Robert[1]), m. George T. Gould, moved to Albuquerque, N. M., where she died.

Children (Gould)—born at Albuquerque, N. M.:

i. Robin, educated at U. of Mo., and Central College, Fayette, Mo., served overseas during the World War; m. Miss Warren; is a minister in the M. E. Church, South, stationed now at Mexico, Mo. Three children (a) Bobby; (b) Margaret; (c) Warren.
ii. Ralph.
iii. Alice.

ADDENDA-CLAIBORNE.

In November, 1647, there was a grant issued for 700 acres in the corporation of Elizabeth City to "Elizabeth Claiborne, the wife of Capt. William Claiborne, Esq., his Majesties Treasurer of this Colony of Virginia" for the transportation of fourteen persons into the colony whose "rights" had been assigned to the said Elizabeth by her said husband in the nature of dower according to an order of court June 11, 1644: See Records of New Kent County, Va.

Col. Wm. Claiborne m. Elizabeth, his second wife, in 1644, settling upon her a dower which they sold to Bertrand Servant. They took a honeymoon trip to England by way of Dublin, Ireland.

"Capt. Robert Moryson in a deposition upon record in Northampton County, Va., mentions that during the year 1644 his ship left Smith's Island for England by way of Dublin, Ireland, and that Capt. Clayborne and his wife and Capt. Philip Taylor were passengers" (See Virginia Carolorum, p. 416, by Edward D. Neill).

Thomas Claiborne and Mary Claiborne were children by Col. Wm. Claiborne's 2nd wife, Elizabeth. Mary was born about 1649. Thomas Claiborne sleeps at "Romancoke" and his tomb bears the arms: Argent, three chevrons, Sable interlaced in base, a chief of the last and the following inscription:

"Here Lyeth interred Ye body of Lt. Col.

Thomas Claybourne

son of Col. Wm. Claybourne

He departed this life ye 7th day of October Anno Domini

1683

Aetatis Suae 36

1 Mo: & 21 D"

(This makes him born Aug. 17, 1647.)

CHAPTER III

GENTRY-BLYTHE FAMILIES.

As Oney Gentry is the central figure in the history of the Gentry, Blythe, Cain, Conner, Robertson, and the Missouri John Cross families, as discussed in this work, it is appropriate that we notice briefly her ancestral connections. We quote a few paragraphs from "The Gentry Family in America," by Richard Gentry of Kansas City, published in 1909, as follows:

> "There is a tradition in the family that the first Gentrys to settle in America were two young men, brothers, who came from England as British soldiers, and settled in Virginia. In support of this tradition, we find that the first Gentrys to settle in America were Nicholas Gentry and Samuel Gentry, who entered land in New Kent County, Va., in 1684. A further fact tends to confirm this tradition: that the British soldiers sent over to Virginia by Charles II, with the Commissioners to settle the controversy between Gov. Berkeley and the people of Virginia at the time of the Bacon Rebellion in January, 1677, were not paid off and discharged until the fall of 1683, and many of them remained and settled in Virginia.
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> "Mr. Charles W. Gentry of Harrodsburg, Ky., now deceased, said that he often heard his father, Richard Gentry, a Revolutionary soldier boast of his English blood, and at the same time speak of his first American ancestor and his brother as 'Two old British Red Coats.' "
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> "The first authentic records that have been found of the Gentrys in America are in St. Peter's Parish Register of New Kent County, Virginia, and in the old land books of Virginia which contain the records of the early land grants.
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> "The register of St. Peter's Parish of New Kent County, Va. . . . shows the following:
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> " 'Elizabeth, daugh't of Nich's Gentry bapt. ye 29 day of August, 1687.
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> " 'Nicholas sone of Nich's Gentry baptiz the 30 May, 1697.
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> " 'Mable daught'r of Nich's Gentry, baptiz the 13 Dec'r, 1702.
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> (The registers were badly kept so there may have been other children).
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> "It appears from the records that these old immigrants continued to live in their old homes for about fifty five years and until they died. They were undoubtedly born in England, came to this country as very young men, and married in Virginia about the time they entered their lands.
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> "Nicholas Gentry of the second generation, the son of Nicholas Gentry, the immigrant, lived in Albemarle County, Va., situated adjoining and west of Louisa County, at the time of his death. He left a will, which was probated in 1779, naming his several sons and other beneficiaries.
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> "Most of the Gentrys of the third generation remained in Virginia: but David and Martin, sons of Nicholas II, followed their children to Madison County, Kentucky when old men."

By the above quotations, and other statements in connection therewith by the same author, we find that though the Gentrys first

settled in New Kent County, Va., which extended indefinitely to the west, later by change of boundary lines, they were in Hanover Co., organized in 1720, then in Louisa County, organized in 1742, these counties being formerly a part of New Kent. The next county to the west was Albemarle, organized in 1744. Whether the Gentrys originally settled in this county, or moved there from Louisa is an unsettled question, but several families of Gentrys were in Albemarle as early as 1760. David and Martin were rearing families there in 1785. Some of their children were born in Louisa, but most of them were born in Albemarle.

Additional information also has been obtained from "History and Genealogies," published in 1907, by William Harris Miller (now deceased), of Richmond, Ky., from letters to the author by members of the family, and from various wills and court records.

FIRST GENERATION (GENTRY-BLYTHE (GB))

(1GB) NICHOLAS GENTRY, emigrant ancestor from England, large land owner in Virginia.

Children (Gentry)—born in New Kent Co., Va.:

i. Elizabeth, baptized in 1687.
2GB ii. Nicholas, baptized in 1697, m. 2 times.
iii. Mable, baptized in 1702.

SECOND GENERATION

(2GB) NICHOLAS GENTRY[2] (Nicholas[1]), m. 1st Mary, by whom he had four children; m. 2nd, Jane or Jean, by whom he had five children. His will was probated in Albemarle Co., Va.

Children (Gentry)—born in Hanover Co., Va.:

i. Moses, b. about 1722, d. 1808.
3GB ii. David, b. about 1724, m. 2 times.
iii. Nicholas, b. about 1726, d. 1787.
iv. Mary, m. Mr. Hinson.
v. Robert.
vi. Elizabeth, b. Oct. 14, 1731.
vii. Benajah, b. 1733, d. at age of 98.
viii. Nathan.
ix. Martin, b. Sept. 11, 1747, d. 1827.

THIRD GENERATION

(3GB) DAVID GENTRY[3] (Nicholas,[2] Nicholas[1]), b. about 1724, first wife's name is unknown, by whom he had one child; m. 2nd, Mary Estes, daughter of Reuben Estes. Most of his children were born in Louisa County, Va., but all were reared in Albemarle County.

The daughters, Winnie and Oney, with their father and many other relatives moved to Madison Co., Ky., in 1786. The daughters married soon after they moved to Ky., after which their father lived with his son Richard, till he died in 1812. He was buried in the Gentry graveyard near Richmond, Ky.

Children (Gentry)—born in Louisa Co., Va.:

i. William.
4GB ii. David, b. in 1761, m. 2 times.
5GB iii. Richard, b. Sept. 26, 1763, m. 2 times.
6GB iv. Winifred, b. Sept. 15, 1765, m. William Martin.
7GB v. Ione (Oney), b. 1767, m. 3 times.

FOURTH GENERATION

(4GB) DAVID GENTRY[4] (David,[3] Nicholas,[2] Nicholas[1]), b. in 1761 in Louisa Co., Va., m. 1st, Jane Kendrick by whom he had five children; m. 2nd, Jane Haggard, by whom he had seven children. He moved to Madison Co., Ky., in 1786, and occupied lands he had bought from land speculators while living in Va. After living on and improving these lands for ten years, he found the titles were defective. After much litigation, he lost the lands. He died in 1813 and his three daughters by his last wife: Oney, aged 21, Jane, aged 11, Winnie, aged 8, continued to live together and never married. When the youngest was 47 years old, they made a will (See Madison Co., Ky., Records) devising their property "to the survivor of us all."

(5GB) RICHARD GENTRY[4] (David,[3] Nicholas,[2] Nicholas[1]), b. in Louisa Co., Va., Sept. 26, 1763; m. in Albamarle Co., Apr. 5, 1784, moved to Ky. in 1785. In 1786 he located in Madison Co., where by energy and thrift, he acquired 1000 acres of the finest blue grass land in Ky., and scores of slaves. He was the father of nineteen children, eighteen of whom (fifteen sons and three daughters), reared families of their own. Eight of his sons settled in Mo. before it became a state. Two of these sons, Reuben Estes Gentry and Richard Gentry (afterwards Gen. Dick Gentry) were pioneer settlers in Howard Co., but soon after moved to Boone Co. Gen. Dick Gentry was one of the founders of Columbia, Mo. He went from there to the Florida War, where, leading his regiment in the Battle of Okeechobee, he was killed on Christmas Day, 1837. He was an Ensign in the War of 1812, and participated in the Battle of the Thames, and was a member of the same company as his cousin James Blythe. Richard Gentry of Kansas City, author of "The Gentry Family in America" was a grandson of Gen. Dick Gentry.

Richard Gentry was a soldier under Washington at the capture of Cornwallis. From his farm south of Richmond, Ky., and adjoin-

ing the 1000 acre farm of his nephew and son-in-law, James Blythe, he gave a plot for burial purposes, known as the "Gentry Graveyard." He died Feb. 12, 1843, and was interred there.

In a letter dated Feb., 1931, Capt. James Blythe Anderson says of his great grandfather's grave: "I stood at the grave of Richard Gentry the other day. It is in an open field—all in ruins—not a stone marks his resting place. His house that stood close by, was no more, and the great poplar monarchs that seemed guarding the sacred dead, were departed, gone forever, and desolation encompassed all." The great stone slab, inscribed with the dates of his birth, death, and war record—that once lay upon his grave, had been carried away by vandals.

Richard Gentry married first, Jane Harris (See Christopher Harris 4HM) by whom he had twelve children; second, Nancy Guthrie by whom he had seven children. Of these nineteen children, Reuben Estes, the first, was born in Albemarle Co., Va., the others were born near Richmond, Madison Co., Ky.; the twelfth child, Jane Harris, b. Mar. 28, 1806, m. Jan. 15, 1824, her neighbor, Valentine White, by whom she had four children: (a) William H., b. Oct. 1825; (b) Richard J., b. Dec. 15, 1827; (c) Durrett, b. Nov. 18, 1829, had a Col.'s Commission, killed by Union Soldiers as he was starting to join the Confederate Army; (d) Nancy Jane, b. Mar. 8, 1832. Mrs. White married 2nd, Oct. 15, 1834, her cousin, and neighbor, James Blythe (See 8GB).

(6GB) WINIFRED GENTRY[4] (David,[3] Nicholas,[2] Nicholas[1]), b. Albemarle Co., Va., Sept. 15, 1765, moved to Ky. in 1786; m. in 1789, William Martin, b. in 1765, d. 1841. She d. Aug. 29, 1853, and both were buried in the Gentry graveyard. These dates were secured in 1925 from their tombstones which were found broken and badly defaced. The thirteen children of the Martins were all born in Madison Co., Ky. One of these children, Elizabeth, married Elias Sims and moved to Mo., where they reared a family, one of whom, William (familiarly called "Buffalo Bill Sims") was a large land owner, and a director of the Southern Bank at Mexico, Mo., of which Gov. Charles Hardin was President.

(7GB) ONEY GENTRY[4] (David,[3] Nicholas,[2] Nicholas[1]), b. in Va. in 1767, moved to Madison Co., Ky., in 1786, and m. there in 1788 David Martin, brother to William Martin, her sister Winnie's husband. David Martin's first wife was Sallie Turner, of whom we know nothing further. He was accidentally killed (See 7HM Harris-Martin) and left only one child by second marriage.

Oney Martin m. 2nd, July 25, 1793, William Blythe, b. in N. C. in 1755, d. in Madison Co., Ky., in 1800. There is some doubt as to the date of birth of Oney Gentry. If she were born in 1767 as

stated above, she was 26 years old at the time of her marriage to William Blythe, and he was 38 years old. In his war record, her date of birth is given as 1760. Taking the date of the birth of her last child, Winnie Cain, in 1808, seems to favor the date of her birth as 1767 over that of 1760. She could not have been born between the dates named, because one of her brothers was born in 1761, another in 1763 and her only sister was born in 1765. In 1802, she married John Cain (See 1CR, Cain-Robertson) by whom she had three children. They emigrated to Howard Co., Mo., where she died June 2, 1823.

A sketch of the forbears of William Blythe is found in "The Archives of N. C. Society of the Cincinnati," followed by his war record: "William Blythe was in Edenton, Chowan Co., N. C. in 1742. He married Sarah Osborne and died on his plantation near Table Rock, Greenville District, S. C. He was a brother of Joseph Blythe, Surgeon 4th N. Carolina Continental Line, who married Elizabeth Alston, a sister of William Alston, Governor of S. Carolina, and who died without issue."

William Blythe and Sarah (Osborne) Blythe had eleven children, viz: (i)William, m. Oney (Gentry) Martin; (ii) James, d. in Madison Co., Ky., un m; (iii) John; (iv) Thomas, d. in S. C. without issue; (v) Daniel; (vi) David, d. in S. C. leaving issue; (vii) Jonathan, d. in the western part of N. C. His son William m. Nancy Fields, a one-fourth Cherokee Indian; (viii) Sally; (ix) Absolom, d. in S. Carolina without issue; (x) Esther, m. Reuben Tally. Thomas Blythe (iv above) was a member of Capt. Isaac Bledsoe's Co. 1777 Tennessee Militia in the Revolutionary War. (See "The King's Mountain Men" by K. K. White, p. 104).

The following letter from the National Society of the S. A. R., Washington, D. C., gives William Blythe's war record:

"8 July, 1931.

"Dear Sir:

"As the subject-matter of your letter of July 2nd comes within my 'jurisdiction', the same has been referred to me for reply.

"Since early spelling depended largely upon 'sound' rather than upon orthographic regulations, it happened that William 'Blythe' and William 'Blyes' could have been variant forms of the same name.

"William Blythe ('Blyes') was born in N. C. about 1755; died in Madison County, Ky., in July, 1800; married (1793) Oney Gentry Martin (born 1760, died 1823). He served as a three years' soldier in the Virginia Line (Rev. War).

"In a 'List of Revolutionary Soldiers of Virginia,' published in 1911-1912, by H. J. Eckenrode, on page 50, is the reference to his (Blythe's) Bounty Warrant, copy of which (in possession of the Va. State Librarian, at Richmond, Va.) reads as follows:

"I do certify that William Blyes, Souldier in the 10th Virginia Regiment, enlisted 19 Dec. 1776 for the term of three years, which time he faith-

fully served and was Discharged. Given under my hand this 10th day of October, 1783."

(Signed) " 'Nathaniel Terry,
" 'Capt. in 10th Va. Reg't.'
"Very truly yours,
"Francis B. Culver,
"Reg'r General."

William Blythe's Will.

"In the name of God amen, I, William Blythe of the County of Madison, and State of Kentucky, being the abundance mercies and goodness of God, of a sound perfect understanding and mind, do constitute this my last will and testament and desire it to be read by all as such. My body I commit to earth from whence it came, my soul to the blessed Redeemer who gave it, hoping and trusting He will receive it unto his angelic hosts and as for what little of this worldly goods He has been pleased to bless me with, first the charge of being decently buried, then all my just debts to be paid, then I do leave to my blessed wife Oney the plantation on which she now lives during her natural life and also the cattle, sheep and hogs and diamond ware and gold to be converted to the use of the family, as long as my Executors shall think she conducts in a prudent manner or until my son James comes of age, and also leave negro boy named Jim, with the tools of all kind to work the plantation for the support of the family, and stock, and one negro girl named Beck, I do give to my son James to be hired out by my Executors till he comes of age, and also one brown mare and colt, and one old sorrel horse to be sold by my Executors and the money left on interest until he comes of age, and when he comes of age and receives Beck and her increase with the hire of her and the price of the three horses left him; then when it shall be pleased that God shall call my beloved wife away from this world, the plantation and the negro boy named Jim, and what of the stock shall be left from the support of the family, to be equally divided between my son James Blythe and my step son David Martin, the household furniture of all kind to be left to my wife during widowhood or life; at her marriage or decease to be equally divided between my two boys, and if my stepson David Martin shall not arrive at to the years one and twenty, his portion appointed for him shall fall to my son James.

"I do make and constitute Robert Rodes and Jacob Patton my sole Executors of this my last will and testament.

"Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of July 1795.

Wm. Blythe. S. S.

N. B. There is ten pounds left in the hands of Wm. John Reed to satisfy some little debts thats against me, and there is sixteen pounds on Davis White's estate which I was security for in his life time and had to pay, which altogether with whats in Wm. Reed's hands will clear me of all debts against me, which I wish to be converted to that use and let each portion stand as they are allotted in this will, and as for what interest I may have in South Carolina and in Cumberland I leave to my brother James Blythe to collect all debts, release and secure all property of mine at each place.

Given under my hand, this the 19th day of July, 1795.

Wm. Blythe, S. S.

Witness present
John Cloyd,
Thomas Cloyd.

At a court held for Madison County, on Monday the 4th day of August, 1800, this will was proved to be the last will and testament of William

Blythe, by the oath of John Cloyd, a witness thereto, and ordered to be recorded.

Attest: Will Irvine, C. M. C."

Children (Martin-Blythe-Cain)—born in Madison Co., Ky.:

i. David Gentry Martin, b. July 25, 1789, d. June 30, 1870, in Howard Co., Mo.; m. Elizabeth Lamb (See 8HM, Harris-Martin).
8GB ii. James Blythe, b. May 14, 1794; m. Mrs. Jane Harris (Gentry) White.
iii. Mary (Polly) Blythe, b. Mar. 23, 1796; m. Nov. 13, 1828, Henry Kinote, moved to Fla., d. there before July 1, 1844.
iv. Sarah (Sally) Blythe, b. Dec. 17, 1797; m. John Cross (See No. 5, Missouri Crosses).
v. Thomas Cain, b. July 31, 1803, d. Nov. 17, 1804.
vi. Winifred Cain, b. Nov. 27, 1805; m. Philip Robertson (See 2CR, Cain-Robertson).
vii. Celia Cain, b. Aug. 27, 1808; m. Washington Conner (See 3C, Conner).

FIFTH GENERATION

(8GB) JAMES BLYTHE[5] (Oney,[4] David,[3] Nicholas,[2] Nicholas[1]), b. May 14, 1794, d. Feb. 16, 1873, m. in 1834 his cousin, Mrs. Jane Harris (Gentry) White, (5GB), b. Mar. 28, 1806, d. June 7, 1872. Her first husband was Valentine White whom she m. Jan. 15, 1824, and by whom she had four children. When James Blythe married Mrs. White in Oct. 1834, he had lived on the Blythe farm forty years, and his sister Polly had lived with him till she m. in 1828, at the age of thirty-two. In the year 1834 he built a palatial home which he called "Blythewood" on this farm of 1000 acres. It joined the land of his father-in-law, Richard Gentry, and was situated six miles south of Richmond, Ky.

Children (Blythe)—born in Madison Co., Ky.:

i. Mary Jane Thomas, b. July 22, 1835, d. Nov. 18, 1858, never m.
9GB ii. Lucy Ann Frances, b. Dec. 20, 1837, d. Jan. 11, 1916; m. William Elliott Simms.
iii. James Robert, b. July 13, 1840, d. infancy.
iv. Melissa Augusta, b. Mar. 17, 1842, d. June 4, 1844.
v. Infant son, b. and d. Nov. 13, 1844.
10GB vi. Dovey, b. Feb. 15, 1846; m. Joseph Caldwell Anderson.

The following letter received from the Veterans Administration, Bureau of Pensions, Washington, D. C., gives the war record of James Blythe:

"You are advised that it appears from the papers in the War of 1812 pension claim, S. C. 19573, that James Blythe enlisted at Richmond, Madison County, Kentucky, and served from August 25, 1813, until November 8, 1813, as sergeant in Captain J. C. McWilliams' Company of Kentucky Militia. This company was in Battle of the Thames. See Battle of the Thames, by Bennett H. Young.

"He was allowed pension on his application executed August 8, 1872,

DOVEY (BLYTHE) ANDERSON

at which time he was seventy-eight years of age. He was then living on Silver Creek, Madison County, Kentucky, and his post office was Richmond, Kentucky.

"He married, date not given, Jane White. He stated in 1872 that she was then dead. There are no further data relative to this soldier's family."

SIXTH GENERATION

(9GB) LUCY ANN FRANCES BLYTHE[6] (James,[5] Oney,[4] David,[3] Nicholas,[2] Nicholas[1]), b. Dec. 20, 1837, d. Jan. 11, 1916, m. Sept. 27, 1866, at "Blythewood," Madison Co., Ky., William Elliott Simms, b. Jan. 2, 1822, in Harrison Co., Ky., d. June 25, 1898, was the son of William Marmaduke and Julia (Shropshire) Simms. He received the LLB. degree from Transylvania University, and was a member of the Kentucky bar. He was a captain in the Mexican War, was a member of the Thirty-fourth Congress, became a Lieut.-Col. in the Confederate Army and was a Confederate Senator from Kentucky.

Children (Simms)—born at "Mt. Airy," Paris, Ky.:

i. Lucy Blythe, b. Jan. 3, 1868, unmarried.

11GB ii. William Erskine, b. Aug. 1, 1869; m. Lucy Fullerton Alexander.

iii. Edward Francis, b. Mar. 6, 1871, Yale Grad., 1891; m. Mrs. Lilly (Ware) Blair, no issue.

(10GB) DOVEY BLYTHE[6] (James,[5] Oney,[4] David,[3] Nicholas,[2] Nicholas[1]), b. Feb. 15, 1846, d. Jan. 4, 1914, m. June 18, 1867, at "Blythewood," Madison Co., Ky., Col. Joseph Caldwell Anderson, son of Col. Oliver and Mary (Campbell) Anderson, b. Jan. 1, 1830, in Jessamine Co., Ky., on the pre-emption made by his grandfather, Capt. William Anderson, in 1779. He was educated in private schools, at Princeton University and graduated from Transylvania University with a LLB. degree in 1849. He was licensed to practice law by Chief Justice Marshall, and located first, at Lexington, Ky., then at Lexington, Mo., and finally at Ft. Scott, Kan. He was elected to the Kansas legislature and took a leading part in the political affairs of the state, then verging on civil war. Anderson Co., Kansas, was named in his honor.

In 1859 he returned to Lexington, Mo., and in 1861 he joined Gen. Price's forces in the capture of that city. However, soon after that event, he was captured by the Union forces, and sent to Gratiot street prison, St. Louis. A few months later he was paroled, and in 1862 he entered the Secret Service of the Confederate Government. For further sketch of his colorful life see Tyler's Quarterly Historical and Genealogical Magazine, July 1929, p. 66. He died May 2, 1891, on his estate "Glengarry," Lexington, Ky.

Children (Anderson):

i. Infant.
12GB ii. James Blythe, b. Dec. 25, 1868; m. Alice Simms.
iii. Jane, b. June 18, 1871, d. infancy.
iv. Jane, b. and d. in 1875 at Lexington, Ky.

SEVENTH GENERATION

(11GB) WILLIAM ERSKINE SIMMS[7] (Lucy Ann Frances,[6] James,[5] Oney,[4] David,[3] Nicholas,[2] Nicholas[1]), b. Aug. 1, 1869, was graduated from Yale in 1891; m. Oct. 5, 1901, Lucy Fullerton Alexander, b. at "Woodburn," Woodford Co., Ky. She is now deceased and the family lives at "Airdrie House" near Spring Station, Ky.

Children (Simms)—born in Woodford Co., Ky.:

i. Elizabeth Fullerton, b. June 25, 1903; m. Augustus Gay.
ii. William E., b. about 1906, d. infancy.
iii. Lucy Blythe, b. about 1909.

(12GB) JAMES BLYTHE ANDERSON[7] (Dovey,[6] James,[5] Oney,[4] David,[3] Nicholas,[2] Nicholas[1]), b. Dec. 25, 1868; m. June 16, 1898, Alice Simms, b. Nov. 3, 1868, at Harrodsburg, Ky. He was born at "Blythewood," the home of his grandfather, Maj. James Blythe. He finished his education at Kentucky University and the University of Virginia, was compositor on the Kentucky Gazette, prospector through several western states, author of many poems, genealogical researcher, life member of "The Institute of American Genealogy," vice-president of "The Campbell Ass'n of America, and Commander of the Ky. Div. "Sons of Confederate Veterans." He is a Presbyterian, a Mason and a member of the "Society of the Cincinnati," and of the "American Legion." His title of Captain is not honorary but a deserved title since he served as captain in the World War.

Children (Anderson)—born at Lexington, Ky.:

i. Joseph Caldwell, b. May 30, 1899; m. in Georgetown, Brown Co., Ohio, Oct. 10, 1928, Mary Razor Jones, b. in Nicholas Co., Ky., May 29, 1900.
ii. Elizabeth, b. Jan. 4, 1903, d. Apr. 27, 1924, unmarried.

We close this chapter with the following tribute by Capt. Anderson to his native state's World War dead, expressing beautiful sentiments that entrance us all:

Kentucky's Dead in Glory Live.

"Gone back to God. What tomb could hide
The martyr souls, the sacrified?
For us, that light forever dwell,
For home, met Fate mid hideous hell

On land, in air, on waters wide,
Where rolled the Teutons awful tide;
That Christian nations might abide
In love and peace—on duty fell—
Gone back to God.
"O mother mine, thy heart has sighed
In memory's shrine thy tear has dried;
From starlit-land where anthems swell
An angel soldier's clear notes tell
Of love and peace—thy son who died
Gone back to God."

CHAPTER IV

CAIN-ROBERTSON FAMILIES.

(1CR) JOHN CAIN was born near "The Shallow Ford," Surry County, North Carolina, in 1770. His mother's maiden name was Celia Steelman and his father's given name is not definitely known. In the North Carolina census of 1790, only two families of Steelmans are listed in Surry County, John and Charles. John's children were two sons and two daughters, Charles' children were two sons and three daughters; which makes the last named fit into our picture very nicely (see Robertson manuscript), with Celia as one of the three daughters. The same census report also shows that there was only one Cain family in Surry County. The head of that family was Thomas, and he listed his children as two sons "under sixteen years of age," and four "free white females including heads of families." Thomas was the father of John who was then twenty years old and probably away from home at the time of the census, for he was a great hunter. The two sons listed were probably George and another brother. We infer that George was much younger than John, because George's children were about twenty years younger than John's first set. (Robertson Manuscript). The girls probably married or died before their mother left North Carolina. As further evidence that Thomas Cain was John's father is the fact that John named his first son "Thomas."

Ellen Conner found in the Teachers College Library at Kirksville, Missouri, an old paper that stated that John Cain, at the age of twenty-two married in North Carolina, Ruth Blythe, and two years later moved to Kentucky where she died. The paper contained so many inaccuracies that it could not be considered authentic. However, there was a large family of Blythes in Surry County, North Carolina, at the time mentioned, and we know that John Cain had a daughter "Ruth" by his last marriage which his children called "his second marriage."

At any rate, John and George Cain and their mother moved to Kentucky (date uncertain), and there in Madison County in 1802 at the age of thirty-two, John married Mrs. Oney (Gentry) (Martin) Blythe. She was thirty-five years old at that time, had been married twice before and had four children, of which the eldest, David Martin, was thirteen and the youngest, Sally Blythe, was five years old. John Cain and his wife Oney had one son, Thomas, who died when one year of age, and two daughters, Winnie and Celia.

When Sally Blythe married John Cross in 1817, a large company of which John Cain, wife and two daughters, George Cain and mother, John Cross and wife, David Martin and wife, were a part, emigrated to Howard County, Missouri.

As Howard County, Missouri, is a pivotal point for much of our history, a few statements gleaned from Switzler's "History of Missouri," and other Missouri publications may set at rest some points, disputed, or not well understood.

About 1800, Daniel Boone came to Missouri from his home on the Ohio River near Charleston, Virginia (now West Virginia), and settled on a grant of land of about eight hundred acres given him by Gov. Delassus, and accepted the office of "Syndic" from the Spanish Government. He officiated in the territory alloted to him with signal success till the government changed hands. His grant was on the Femme Osage, twenty-five miles west of St. Charles, and adjoining grants occupied by his sons who had come to this territory about 1796. This was his home till he died in 1820 at the age of eighty-six. His wife died in 1813.

In 1807, Nathan Boone and Daniel N. Boone, sons of old Daniel Boone, with several companions, went from their home on the Femme Osage up the Missouri River in canoes with a salt making outfit, and stopped in Howard County at the salt springs of which they had heard. They spent the summer there making salt which in the fall they took down the river in their canoes. After this, the salt springs were called Boones' Lick and the country around it, comprising territory afterwards made into thirty-one counties, about one-third of them south of the river, was known as the "Boones' Lick Country."

"In the spring of 1808, Colonel Benjamin Cooper and family, consisting of wife and five sons, moved to the neighborhood of Boones' Lick, in Howard County." (Switzler's History.) The Governor sent him an order to move to some place better protected from the Indians. "He thereupon abandoned his settlements and located at Loutre Island (opposite Warren Co.), where he remained till 1810. In February of that year, he and family, with many others, chiefly from Madison County, Kentucky, left Loutre Island for the Boones' Lick Country." (Switzler's History).

It took these people more than two months, to select a route, to find suitable fording places to cross the numerous streams, and cut a road through the wilderness, through Warren, Montgomery, Callaway, and Boone Counties, and on to Boones' Lick where they made the first permanent settlement in Howard County in 1810. This road was ever afterwards known as "Cooper's Trail," and was used by all subsequent migrations to counties west of St. Charles.

Reuben Estes Gentry, an older brother of Gen. Dick Gentry (both of them nephews of Oney Gentry Cain) was one of the party of about 150 families that made the "Cooper's Trail," and came to Howard County in 1810.

Tradition says that the Cains came from Kentucky to Howard County with Col. Richard Gentry and family. "The Gentry Family in America," p. 94, says that Richard Gentry and family came to Howard County in 1817. This Richard Gentry was later "Gen. Dick" Gentry, who was killed in the Florida War in 1837.

Quoting from Switzler again: "The years 1817 and 1818 witnessed a great influx of population to the Boones' Lick Country, as all Central Missouri was then familiarly called. Those early settlers were mainly from Kentucky, principally Madison County, Virginia, Tennessee and North Carolina."

Stories that the Cains came to Howard County earlier than 1817, are evidently in error, as Indian troubles prevented migrations from 1812 till 1816, and a clause in the will of her second husband provided that Oney Blythe should have the Blythe farm "during her natural life," so she must have stayed on this farm till her Blythe children became of age, which was about 1817, when Sally, the youngest, married (See 7GB-Gentry-Blythe Ancestry).

John Cain was a hunter by profession, and probably, had spent several seasons in the Chariton Bottoms and around "Buffalo Springs," later Randolph Springs, previous to 1817. Traditions from different sources, claim that he and Daniel Boone were intimate friends, and that they were frequently companions on hunting trips. Daniel Boone lived in St. Charles County, but, no doubt, kept in touch with his Kentucky friends, so it would have been an easy matter for John Cain to have arranged to go with Boone on some of his many hunting and trapping expeditions up the Missouri River. There is no evidence that Boone ever lived in Howard County (see Switzler's History), but he hunted and trapped in most of this territory along the Missouri River through Missouri and Kansas.

When John Cain emigrated from Kentucky in 1817, he took his family direct to Buffalo Springs and settled there, while John Cross, David Martin, and many others of their company settled near the present town of Roanoke, fifteen miles south. Silver Creek, a beautiful stream, about midway between the two places above named, was no doubt named for "Silver Creek," Madison County, Kentucky, whence many of these families had come. Capt. James Blythe Anderson (see 12GB, Gentry-Blythe Ancestry) who was born on the banks of Silver Creek, Madison County, Kentucky, and spent twelve years of his life there, thus writes of his early reminiscences:

"Dear Silver Creek, fantastic fairies skip
Across thy dimples; weeping willows drip
Their dewey fringe along thy limpid breast;
The wind comes wheeling o'er thy cedared crest,
With crimson streams of day in rivalship.

The drowsy lolling May-flies loitering, sip
With bees the buds, that o'er thy margin dip,
Like bubble beads, in dancing beauty drest,
Dear Silver Creek!

So long ago, and far away, yet slip
Sweet memories where thy lapping pebbles trip
The bruised toes a-dallying with thy guest;
O happy days! no longing not unrest;
Bright memory bears thy ripples to my lip,
Dear Silver Creek!"

After a few years, the lands around Buffalo Springs and along Silver Creek were found to have defective titles, and so, rather than try to meet the expense of clearing the titles, many of the settlers left their lands, sacrificing their improvements, which were largely measured by the labor required to build cabins without a nail, to build rail fences with rails split nearby, grub out timber and clear off little patches of land, on which to raise corn for hominy and gritted meal, and fodder for the horse. This work was largely done by groups, neighbors working together, and when the work to be done was quite heavy, it was the occasion for a large gathering and a joyous time, first the work, then a banquet, then athletic sports. The women prepared a sumptuous meal and delighted in serving a menu of wild meat—"bar," "venzin," squirrel, possum and turkey, with a relish of lye hominy, honey and hoe-cakes—no changing of plates and no dress coats. What a man ate was measured by capacity, not vitamins. Cows gave milk from three to five months of the year, and the flow depended mostly upon the amount of feed accessible on the out-range. Water came from the spring, somewhere under half a mile away, and always up hill with the heavy load. Slaves could beat the whites "toting" water; they would place a pail on the head, ease down and catch a pail in each hand, and trudge off singing like larks. Whites could not do it; I've tried it. Housekeeping was not much of a job—just push the dirt over a little and it would fall into the cracks between the puncheons; or if the cabin had no floor, the job was easier. The author's grandfather would take pay for his blacksmith work in animal pelts, or in chopping wood for his coal pits which he burned periodically for charcoal for his shop work, or "I will see you later."

In 1822, John Cross bought a farm four miles south of Roanoke on which he reared his family, and spent the rest of his days, and John Cain, in the same year, bought a farm seven miles east of the Cross farm, known in later years as the Cain-Robertson farm. (See Howard County Records). On this farm, John Cain and family lived many years, and his wife Oney died there June 2, 1823, and was buried in the family graveyard on the farm. In 1826 John Cain married Emily Hill of Randolph County, and their first child, Bartheba, was born in 1827 on the Cain-Robertson homestead. In 1828, John Cain's daughter, Celia, married Washington Conner (See 3C.)

John Cain left the Howard County farm in 1829 or 1830. He may have spent one year in Macon County, at any rate he moved to what was afterwards Adair County, in 1830 and took up lands on the Chariton River seven miles west of Kirksville.

In July, 1829, a band of Sac and Fox Indians came down the Chariton River from Iowa and came in contact with cattle that the whites were grazing on the Chariton bottoms. They infuriated the whites by driving off a number of these cattle. The owners of the cattle rushed to the settlements, and gathered up a company of some twenty-five men and went to the camp of the Indians, and asked them to restore the cattle and leave the country, as in a recent treaty the Indians had relinquished all territory south of the Iowa line. The Indians claimed that they still had the right to hunt and fish along the river. A white saw an Indian raising his gun, and shot him. The fight was over in a few minutes, but the whites fled, leaving four dead and wounded in the hands of the Indians. Great excitement prevailed in the settlements, and several hundred men were mustered in the nearby counties and rushed by Gov. Miller's orders to the scenes of the conflict. They scoured the country to the Iowa line but never found an Indian. These men soon went to their homes, and may have built the old fort in the disputed territory. History is not clear on this point. Another rumor of an Indian invasion brought out a regiment under the command of Gen. John B. Clark of Howard County, in 1832. One story is that he built a fort in the western part of Adair County. John Cain was in one of these expeditions, perhaps with Clark. John Cain's lands finally included the old fort where the soil was rich and the location inviting. Here John Cain lived and reared a second family, and here he died in 1853 at the age of 83 years.

The following excerpts are from the reminiscences of John (Uncle Jack) Cross (No. 12, Mo. Crosses) published in the Huntsville, Missouri, Herald, July 28, 1899.

"Along about the first of the century John Cain came to Missouri with a colony of explorers with old Daniel Boone at the head. After prospecting over Howard and Randolph (Randolph then a part of Howard) counties and adjacent territory for a few years, he returned to Kentucky, and in 1815 returned to Missouri and first settled near Buffalo or Salt Lick, now Randolph Springs; but being so far from any settlement, he moved farther south and settled on a tract of land two miles south of Roanoke near where other pioneers had settled. It may be disputed, but my grandfather, John Cain, and Daniel Boone were the first white men that ever laid eyes on Buffalo Lick. That was between the years 1800 and 1814. Cain was with Boone most of the time on the exploring expedition, as stated above, and by going direct there in 1815 with his family, would indicate that he had been there before.

. . . .

"John Cain was my step-grandfather, and was a great hunter. He followed the game as the country became more thickly settled. Some few years before the Black Hawk War he built a cabin on the Chariton River and followed hunting. There were a great many Indians in this country at that time, and they were friendly at first, but when the settlers began shooting too much game to suit them they went on the war-path.

"When hostilities opened, John Cain enlisted under General John B. Clark who had charge of the state troops in that section. In our neighborhood, or colony as it was then called, they got together and took a vote to see who should stay at home with the women and children, and who should go to the front and fight the Indians. My father was one that was voted to stay at home to run his shop, and to look after his neighbor's families as well. John Cain was in the Indian fight under General Clark, on a creek about fifteen miles northwest of Kirksville. After this fight it was named Battle Creek. Several were killed on both sides. Captain Bramble of Howard County was killed in this battle. After this fight General Clark built a fort four miles west of Kirksville. It was built in diamond shape out of White Oak logs. The logs were split, one end was sharpened or pointed like a picket and the other end was put in the ground about three feet. Block houses were built at each corner of the fort, with port holes to shoot through.

"General Clark's men used flint-lock rifles, and the Indians used bow and arrows and some rifles in the fight on the creek. In after years grandfather bought a large tract of land there—five hundred acres including this fort. I was there on a visit to grandfather when I was fifteen years old. His son now owns the lands. Indian Town was about fifteen miles south of Clark's Fort. The town was situated on a high knoll and the surrounding country was the most beautiful I ever saw, that I remember. I think this was about 1840. I stood in Indian Town and could see droves of deer grazing on the lower lands around about. I thought it was the loveliest country I ever beheld. I visited grandfather several times at Clark's Fort. He died there at an advanced age. After his death I visited his son. It has been about twenty-two years now since I was there last. At that time the young Cain sent word to General Clark by me that 'Clark's Fort was still Democratic.' The next time I saw the General I delivered the message and he laughed heartily."

From James H. Robertson, Jr., of Flagstaff, Arizona, we have received two manuscripts, left by his father, dealing with his Cain-Robertson ancestry, from which we take the liberty of quoting extensively.

"The Cain Family.

"Ony Cain, wife of John Cain, was first, Ony Gentry, daughter of David Gentry, of Madison Co., Ky., Silver Creek. She married, first, Martin, about

the year 1788. They had one child, David Gentry Martin, born May 14, 1789. Martin was killed at a house raising. Then she married ——— Bly, by whom she had three children, James, born May 14, 1794, Polly, born March 23, 1796, married and died without issue, Sally, born Dec. 17, 1797, married John Cross (ten children), died in Howard County, Mo., about 1875, Bly died in Kentucky. Ony Gentry Bly then married John Cain. Their child, Winifred Cain (Robertson), born in Madison Co., Ky., Nov. 27, 1805, had six Robertson children, died Sept. 10, 1845. Celia Cain was born Aug. 27, 1808, married Washington Conner, died, raising four or five Conner children. John Cain and Ony Cain had one boy. Thomas, born July 31, 1803, died Nov. 17, 1804.

"John Cain and his family moved to Howard Co., Mo., from Madison Co., Ky., in 1814 or 1815. Ony, his wife, died June 2, 1823, and is buried in the Philip Robertson grave yard.

"Reuben Estes Gentry had come to Howard Co., Mo., about 1810. Dick Gentry came out, I think, with the Cains and that party in 1814-15.

"Celia Cain, John Cain's mother, died in Howard Co., Mo., Sept. 8, 1827, aged 80 years, and is buried by Ony Cain, her daughter-in-law. She was a Steelman, and was raised on the Yadkin River, North Carolina, Yatkin or Surry County, coming to Madison Co. in an an early day, and from there, with John and George, her sons, to Howard Co., Mo., about 1814-1815.

"John Cain's second wife was Emily Hill of Randolph County, Missouri. They moved from Howard County to Adair County seven miles west of Kirksville where he raised another family and died. John Cain's brother George came to Missouri with him at an early day."

"Philip Robertson."

"Philip Robertson was born Oct. 25, 1802, in Orange County, Virginia. Winifred Cain, his wife, was born in Madison County, Kentucky, Nov. 27, 1805. They married July 18, 1833, and the first named died March 7, 1863, in Howard County, Missouri, and the second named died Sept. 10, 1845."

Robertson's notations from the old Winnie Cain Bible, shows that George Cain, brother of John Cain, married Elizabeth ——— and three of their children are listed in that Bible as follows:

"Celia Cain, daughter of George Cain and Elizabeth, his wife, was born the 19th day of Nov., 1820.

Samuel W. Cain, son of George Cain and Elizabeth, his wife, was born the 30th day of Dec., 1822.

John Cain, son of George Cain and Elizabeth, his wife, was born the 18th day of July, 1825."

Nancy Hersely, born in Virginia Jan. 27, 1775, died at the Robertson home July 7, 1861, and was buried in the family graveyard. She came from Virginia with the Robertsons, had been married two times, and cared for the Robertson children after the death of their mother in 1845.

A paper handed to us by Dr. W. J. Conner was written in 1909 by James H. Robertson, Sr. and contains much of the same information, and several dates of births which are incorporated in this

record. In it, it is said, according to the family tradition, that a battle was fought at Shallow Ford, North Carolina, during the Revolution between the forces of General Greene and Lord Cornwallis, and that the Steelmans, father and son, fought with Greene's men while the mother and Celia, and other girls carried water and provisions for the patriot soldiers during the fight and moulded bullets for several days before the battle.

It also contains this important statement:

"The two old ladies, Celia and Ony Cain died in the northern part of Howard County, Missouri, and they were buried in the graveyard side by side. A small rock marks their graves, and a black oak tree stands near the head, or did when I was there last in 1898.

"James H. Robertson."

The two old ladies referred to, were John Cain's mother and his wife. Celia Cain was eighty and Ony fifty-six at the time of their deaths.

The author visited the old Cain-Robertson graveyard referred to above, in 1929, and knowing that his great-grandmother, Ony Cain, was buried somewhere in that graveyard, found two graves as described above, of which the one on the south side was evidently the last one made; if so, it is the grave of Ony (Gentry) (Martin) (Blythe) Cain, for Celia Cain died several years before Ony died. It is to be hoped that the great-grandchildren and the great-great-grandchildren of these "two old ladies," in the near future, will see that their graves are properly marked with enduring monuments.

Children (Cain)—first three born in Ky.; others born in Howard and Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Thomas, b. July 21, 1803, d. Nov. 17, 1804.

2CR ii. Winifred, b. Nov. 27, 1805; m. Philip Robertson.

iii. Celia, b. Aug. 27, 1808; m. Washington Conner (3C—Philemon Conner).

3CR iv. Bartheba (Bash), b. Jan. 27, 1827; m. Asa King Collett.

v. Jackson Hill.

vi. John, Jr. ("Little John").

4CR vii. George Washington, b. Jan. 2, 1833; m. (1) Christina Shoop, (2) Eva Broyles.

viii. Ruth, m. John E. Ely. Children: (a) George Ann; m. Mr. Clark, both dead; (b) David Stephen (Bud); (c) Jeptha (Chut); (d) Eva, m. Mr. Hannah and lives in Colfax, Wash.

ix. Wright J.

x. King, d. in infancy.

xi. Mary.

xii. Emily, m. Mr. Fowler. Children: (a) Minnie, m. Mr. Chatfield and lives in Bay City, Mich.; (b) Frank; (c) Jennie, m. Mr. King, of Bay City, Mich.; (d) Frederick.

xiii. William C.

xiv. Melissa Pernesa, m. in 1866, James William Jones, son of William Asa Jones and Elizabeth Carpenter of Sullivan Co., Mo., children, b. at Greencastle, Mo.:
  (a) Genevra May, b. Oct. 18, 1867; m. Dec. 27, 1889, Fernando Wood Cain (4CR), b. May 15, 1864, children: Hazel Honor, b. at Novinger, Mo., Oct. 2, 1890, m. Sumner Crawford, lives at Greencastle, Mo.; Miriam Bell, b. at Novinger, Mo., Mar. 23, 1900, m. Arthur Broyles, lives at Des Moines, Iowa.
  (b) Minnie Bartheba, b. Feb. 26, 1869, m. W. Frank Runkle, lives in Seattle, Wash.
  (c) William Asa, b. Oct. 17, 1871, m. twice, one child, lives at Hurdland, Mo.

xv. Philip R., b. Dec. 1, 1851; m. Dec. 23, 1872, Emma Eugenia Lemons, b. Nov. 20, 1855, both Osteopaths, formerly lived in Hannibal, Mo., children:
  (a) Alvah Lee, d. young.
  (b) Lillie May, d.
  (c) Asa Delbert, received degree from A. S. O. in 1900, m. Eva Buchanan, lives in Junction City, Mich., had five children: Albert Francis, d.; Virginia Ruth; Infant, d.; Robert, and Richard.
  (d) Ina, d.
  (e) Gertrude, d.; m. Murry Farrell, had one child, Lenora Lee, d.

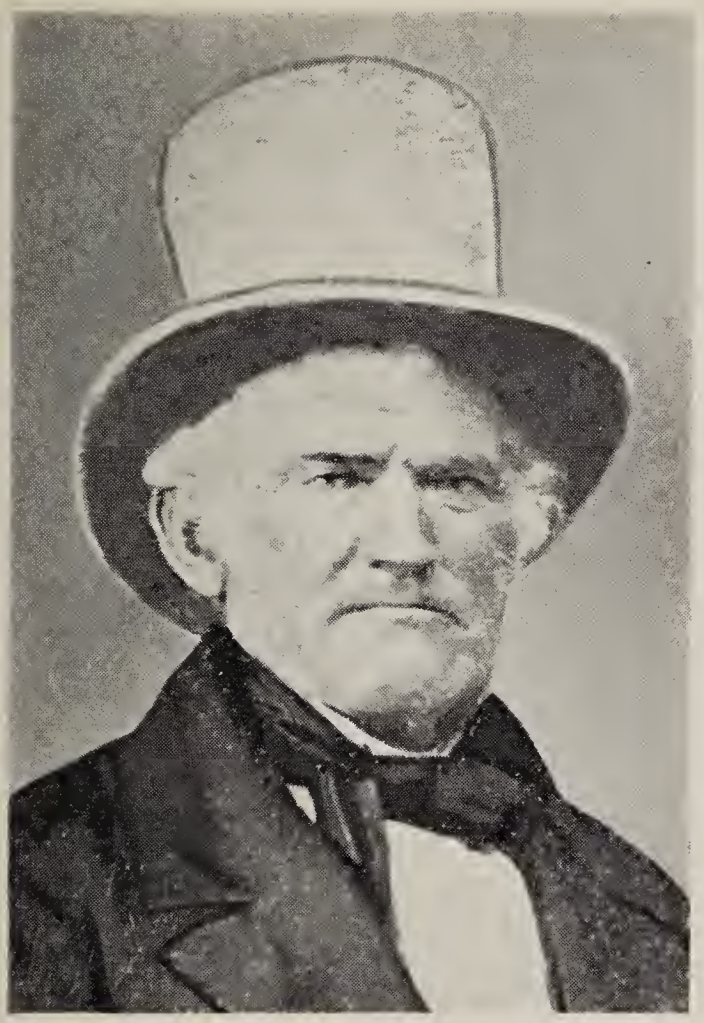
After John Cain's death in 1857, George W. Cain and David A. Ely administered the estate with the widow, Emily Cain. The Adair County records at Kirksville, Mo., contain many receipts signed by the heirs. George W. Cain was guardian and curator for Philip R., William C., and Melissa P. Cain, evidently minors.

SECOND GENERATION

(2CR) WINIFRED CAIN[2] (John[1]), b. in Madison Co., Ky., Nov. 27, 1805, d. Sept. 10, 1845; m. July 18, 1833, Philip Robertson, b. in Orange Co., Va., Oct. 25, 1802, d. in eastern part of Howard Co., Mar. 7, 1863. Of the family of Philip Robertson we know but little. He had a brother, Hiram Robertson, who lived near him and reared a family of several children, one of whom, Jeff, was well known by the author. Another one, Philip A. Robertson, corresponded with the author from his home at Fowler, Colo., in 1931. Philip Robertson was thirty-one years old when he married, and Winnie Cain was twenty-seven. In the same year they married, he bought the John Cain farm (See Howard Co. Records), and lived there till his death.

Children (Robertson)—born in eastern Howard Co.:

i. John W., b. July 22, 1834, d. in Ashley Co., Ark., Oct. 18, 1881, at age of 47, not married.
ii. Joseph W., b. Mar. 2, 1836, d. May 3, 1839.
5CR iii. James Hiram, b. Feb. 15, 1838; m. Alta May Parker.
iv. Nancy D., b. Mar. 11, 1840, d. May 27, 1899, at Aspen, Colo., buried in the Cain-Robertson graveyard; m. May 16, 1889, John Lindsey.



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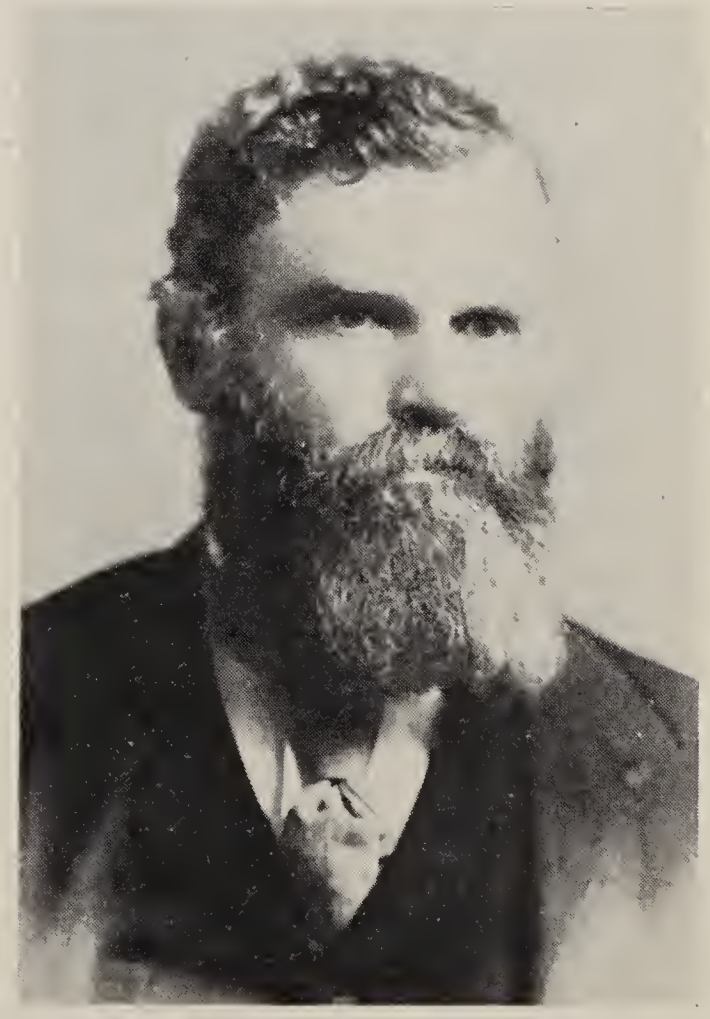

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v. Sally Louise, b. May 5, 1842; m. Aug. 8, 1891, B. W. Malone. She d. in K. C., about 1906.
vi. Frances C., b. May 3, 1844; m. in 1894, G. W. Lea, a farmer living northwest of Huntsville, Randolph County, Mo., where he had reared his family of children by a former marriage. At this Lea homestead, Fanny (Robertson) Lea, enfeebled by hardening of the arteries, fell and hurt her hip. Suffering from the injury and from the disease she passed away six weeks later, Sept. 14, 1917, and was buried in the nearby cemetery of Fort Henry.

(3CR) BARTHEBA (BASH) CAIN[2] (John[1]), b. Jan. 27, 1827, near Fayette, Howard Co., Mo., moved with her parents to Adair Co. in 1830; m. Jan. 9, 1848, Asa King Collett, b. in Ky. Nov. 7, 1821; went from Ky. to Howard Co., Mo., then to Adair. Soon after he married, he served as a soldier in the Mexican War, went to Calif. in 1849 and stayed until 1861, when he returned to his wife in Adair Co. She died Nov. 23, 1897; he died Apr. 8, 1898.

Children (Collett)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Ira, b. Feb. 12, 1862; m. July 2, 1889, Emma Grim, b. Oct. 27, 1863, had three children:
  (a) Hubert Lee, b. Mar. 30, 1890, children Ira Lee, b. Aug. 17, 1919; Elsie Joan, b. Feb. 25, 1926; and Hubert Gordon, b. Sept. 6, 1928.
  (b) Ruth Faustina, b. July 9, 1892, d. June 22, 1917.
  (c) Anna Bartheba, b. Mar. 12, 1899; m. Lewis Polovich. No children.

(4CR) GEORGE WASHINGTON CAIN,[2] (John[1]), b. Jan. 2, 1833, in Adair Co., Mo., d. Oct. 23, 1919; m. (1) May 13, 1860, near Novinger, Mo., Christina Shoop; m. (2), about 1914, Eva Broyles.

Children (Cain)—born in Western Adair Co., Mo.:

6CR i. Oliver, b. Feb. 16, 1861; m. Rozella Moyer.
7CR ii. Fernando Wood (Rouster), b. May 15, 1864; m. Genevra May Jones.
8CR iii. Margaret Ellen, b. Jan. 20, 1866; m. Jacob G. Hoerrmann.
iv. William Isaac, b. Sept. 14, 1871; m. Dec. 24, 1896, Charlotte Hoerrmann, b. Dec. 17, 1877, near Novinger, Mo. Address, 503 N. 43rd Street, Seattle, Wash.; two children: (a) Estella, b. Dec. 2, 1897, law student at Stanford University, 1931; (b) Edith, b. Apr. 29, 1899; m. Dewey McMasters, and lives at Nanton, Alberta, Canada.

George W. Cain lived continuously for more than 86 years at the old Cain homestead seven miles west of Kirksville, Mo. He was a highly honored citizen of the county and took an active part in its affairs until a few years before his death.

The "History of Adair County," published in 1911 by E. M. Violette, Professor of History in the Kirksville Teachers College, con-

tains a reminiscent article written by Mr. Cain in which he gives a vivid picture of pioneer life in Adair County. From this article we give the following excerpts:

"My father was a native of North Carolina, where he was born in 1770. In his early manhood, he emigrated to Kentucky and became a warm personal friend, and intimate associate of Daniel Boone. When that celebrated hunter and Indian fighter came to Missouri in the early part of the century, my father came with him and settled in Howard County. In about 1828, he made a trip with some others, to this section, but did not stay here. Two years later, in 1830, he brought his family to what is now Adair County, settled here and entered land, a part of which I now own. He lived here till his death in 1853, and at that time owned 840 acres, all in one body.

"He was twice married, his first (second) wife being Emily Hill, a cousin of the late Senator David B. Hill. I was a child of his second wife, and was born on the farm where I now live, six miles west of Kirksville, in 1833. I claim the distinction of being the first white child born in the region of what is now known as Adair County. Although there are other claimants for this honor, I believe that I have fully established my claims, to the unbiased and disinterested.

"In 1837, Col. Jesse Jones came here from Macon County, bringing a lot of cattle, hogs, and negro slaves.

"I well remember that trouble Wash Conner had in getting a letter which had been sent here to him by his brother. At that time, the postage was paid by the man getting the letter, when he received it. There was a letter there for Wash, and the postage was ten cents. He had hundreds of hides and leather, but no money. And Mr. Withrow, (the P. M.) would not give him his letter without the money. He came to my father to borrow the amount, but he was in the same condition, for there was no money in the country, our trade being altogether by barter. He then went to Col. Jones, but he had no money. Finally it was found that "Nigger Jim", one of Col. Jones' slaves had just ten cents. Wash borrowed the money from him and got his letter.

"Our food consisted of wild game, honey, maple syrup and corn bread. There were no mills of any kind for the grinding of corn. It was ground either in a 'mortar,' or on a 'gritter'. The 'mortar' was a hollowed out stump of a sycamore log, fixed by burning coals in it. The corn was poured into this and beat up with an iron wedge, fastened on the end of a stick. The 'gritter' was a piece of tin, punched full of holes, like a nutmeg grater, and fastened to a board. The ear of corn was pushed back and forth over this, and the meal was thus ground. This could only be done after the corn had been soaked, or when it was comparatively green. Bee trees were in abundance, and plenty of maple trees to tap for syrup. There was no lack of meat, for wild game was more than plentiful, bear, deer, some buffalo, wild turkeys, pheasants, quails, prairie chickens and pigeons were in abundance.

"I was at least ten years old before I saw any wheat. Our first flour was also beaten, and I well remember the first biscuits I ever tasted, made from this flour. I did not like it much, for I wasn't used to that kind of stuff.

"I am nearing the end of a long journey; my faithful and beloved companion has already 'gone home' and this will be the last time I shall do anything of this sort; so I desire herewith to bid all Godspeed, and wish them success and happiness."

THIRD GENERATION

(5CR) JAMES HIRAM ROBERTSON[3] (Winifred,[2] John[1]), b. Feb. 15, 1838, d. Nov. 12, 1912, in Phoenix, Ariz., to which place he had moved with his family from Fayette, Howard Co., Mo., in 1899, on account of the failing health of his wife. On Jan. 19, 1888, he m. Alta May Parker, b. Jan. 22, 1870, d. at Beverly, Texas, July 27, 1902, to which place she had gone to visit her mother. Her parents were, Henry M. Parker, b. Oct. 18, 1842, d. Sept. 18, 1874, and Elizabeth L. McWilliams, b. Oct. 16, 1844, d. about 1898. The Parkers moved to Howard Co. from Woodsfield, Ohio, where they were m. in 1865.

From the "History of Howard and Cooper Counties," page 404, published in 1883, from a sketch of "James H. Robertson, attorney and notary public," we glean information as follows: "He was educated in the common schools and McGee College, Macon Co., taught school, enlisted in Confederate Army in the Civil War in 1861, and remained in the army till the close of the war, except a few months spent in prison, was captured three times, wounded once, was in the battle of Wilson's Creek, Corinth, Vicksburg, and seven others, served most of the time in Company C, 3rd Louisiana Infantry, surrendered at Shreveport in 1865, came home and farmed three years, moved to Fayette, and established the Democrat Banner and studied law, was elected prosecuting attorney in 1872, and again in 1878, that his father was born in Orange Co., Va., Oct. 25, 1802, emigrated to Howard Co., Mo., in 1828, settled in the eastern part of the county, and died there May 7, 1863.

Children (Robertson)—born at Fayette, Mo.:

i. Winifred (Winnie) Frances, b. Apr. 5, 1889, d. at Phoenix, Ariz., Oct. 19, 1905, aged 16 years.

9CR ii. James Hiram, Jr., b. Sept. 2, 1890; m. at Liverpool, Eng., Lily Park.

iii. Alta Ione (Oney), b. Jan. 17, 1892; m. Frank Pinkerton, of Colo., Apr. 20, 1912, and had child: (a) Grant, b. Mar. 28, 1913, at Phoenix, Ariz. Address, Kingman, Ariz.

iv. Sawnie, b. July 30, 1894, not heard from since 1914.

v. Wyley Parker, b. Aug. 19, 1896; m. Feb., 1923, Martha Mullner, of Phoenix, Ariz., and had child: (a) Wyley Parker, Jr., b. Dec., 1923. Address, Torrance, Calif.

(6CR) OLIVER BARKLEY CAIN[3] (George W.,[2] John[1]), b. Feb. 16, 1861, S. of Novinger, Mo.; m. Mar. 31, 1889, Rozella Moyer, b. in Brooklyn, Ia., July 26, 1870. Address, Millard, Mo.

Children (Cain):

i. Coonie Prudence, b. Mar. 12, 1890; m. May 15, 1913, Clarence Herbert Pickle, b. at Hamilton, Mo., July 21, 1890, has children: (a) Robert Lee, b. Mar. 14, 1914, at Kirksville, Mo.; (b) Jack Weston, b. Apr. 30, 1921, at Weston, Mo.

ii. John Wilbur, b. June 2, 1891; m. July 7, 1923, Madonna Elizabeth Powell, b. at Wisner, Neb., Jan. 28, 1901, has children: (a) Francis Raymond, b. Dec. 23, 1924, at Key West, Fla.; (b) Madonna Belle, b. July 9, 1930, at San Pedro, Calif.
iii. Allen Eugene, b. Mar. 30, 1893; m. Oct. 7, 1922, Jeanette Sullivan.
iv. Lottie Lee, b. Feb. 22, 1895, near Novinger, Mo.; m. Dec. 27, 1914, Ray Palmer Lantz, b. at Millard, Mo., Apr. 12, 1892 has children: (a) Daughter, d. infancy; (b) Helen Louise, b. June 27, 1916.

(7CR) FERNANDO WOOD (ROUSTER) CAIN[3] (George Washing,[2] John[1]), b. May 5, 1864, at the Cain homestead near Novinger, Mo. The following paragraphs are quoted from his home paper of Mar. 11, 1926:

"F. W. Cain, known far and wide over this county and many others as 'Rouster', was born May 15, 1864, on the old Cain homestead, only a few yards from the site of his fine home in later life. He was the son of George and Christina Cain who were among the pioneers of Adair County. The Cain farm was across the road from the 'Cabins', the homes of the first settlers of this county, and his grandfather was one of the earliest settlers.

"In 1889, December 27, Mr. Cain was married to Miss Genevra Jones and they have worked together through the years on the Cain farm, near Novinger, Mo. Two daughters also survive, Miss Hazel Cain who is at home and Mrs. Marian Broyles of Des Moines, Iowa. Too, there are a host of relatives and hundreds of friends who will mourn the passing of their true friend, a man of sterling character, true to his convictions, and a man of great worth to the community."

Children (Cain)—born near Novinger, Mo.:

i. Hazel Honor, b. Oct. 2, 1890; m. Sumner Crawford, lives at Greencastle, Mo.
ii. Marian Belle, b. Mar. 25 1900; m. Arthur Broyles, lives in Des Moines, Ia.

(8CR) MARGARET ELLEN CAIN[3] (George W.,[2] John[1]), b. Jan. 20, 1866, d. Mar. 14, 1916, m. Mar. 18, 1896, Jacob G. Hoerrmann, b. Nov. 28, 1865, d. Dec. 15, 1928.

Children (Hoerrmann):

i. George Bryan, b. Mar. 8, 1897, south of Greencastle, Mo.; m. Aug. 28, 1922, Annabelle Ames, b. Oct. 1900, d. July 14, 1923, has twins, Jacob Bryan and Annabelle Frances, b. July 14, 1923.
ii. Mabel Leona, b. July 27, 1900; m. Feb. 16, 1919, Richard Hobson Riddle, b. Mar. 16, 1896, in Sullivan Co., Mo., has children: (a) Addison Dale, b. Mar. 4, 1920; (b) Randill Dane, b. Mar. 5, 1922; (c) Ira Allen, b. Apr. 15, 1925.
iii. Cordie Opal, b. May 27, 1904; m. Sept. 18, 1922, Robert Vance Price, b. Apr. 11, 1902, in Sullivan Co., Mo.; has children: (a) Margaret Ellen, b. Mar. 8, 1925; (b) Robert Lynn, b. July 14, 1926.

FOURTH GENERATION

(9CR) JAMES HIRAM ROBERTSON, JR.[4] (James Hiram,[3] Winifred, [2] John[1]), b. Sept. 2, 1890, m. Aug. 8, 1921, at Liverpool, Eng., Lily Park. He was in the World War and when asked for a story of his experiences, modestly replied, "As for my war experience, it was a long and hard one, and as the war is over, let us forget it. We were married in Liverpool, England, but it was two years after I was discharged from military service, and was in business at Flagstaff at the time. I made the trip for the occasion and brought my bride to my home town, where she is very much liked by all who know her, and I am very proud of her and my two little boys."

Mr. Robertson is owner of a small ranch in Oak Creek Canyon, twenty miles from Flagstaff, and is also proprietor of "The Call of the Canon Resort," snuggled in the rugged mountains there amid the most beautiful scenery imaginable.

Children (Robertson):

i. James Hiram, III, b. May 8, 1922, at Flagstaff, Ariz.
ii. Philip Park, b. July 14, 1926, at Long Beach, Calif.

JAMES CAIN, OF PUTNAM COUNTY, MISSOURI

In the preparation of this story of John Cain's family, another family headed by James Cain appears, who seem to have been closely related to John Cain. This James Cain moved with his family, from Putnam County to Adair County, and his children were called cousins by John Cain's children, but we can find no one who knows how the relationship came about. There is a tradition (see 1CR) that tells us that John Cain, at the age of 22, married Ruth Blythe in N. C., moved with her to Ky., where she died. When John Cain married Oney Gentry in Ky., he was 32 years old. He may have had a child when he married Oney Gentry, but no mention is made of it anywhere.

This James Cain married Annie Ketchens, and they had a son, James W. Cain, who married in Adair County in 1848, and went to Calif. in 1849, leaving his wife, Lucinda (Rice) Cain, who stayed, first, with Bartheba (Cain) Collett, whose husband, A. K. (King) Collett, also went to Calif. in the same company with James Cain. Later, Lucinda stayed with her brother, John Rice.

This company was on the road six months, and arrived at Sacramento, Calif., Oct. 1, 1849, "much fatigued with the dust, rough roads and hard sleeping." One year later, Oct. 1, 1850, James W. Cain, after nine days' sickness, died in Sacramento. On the way, and while there, he wrote many letters to his wife and other friends

in Adair County. These letters portray a magnanimous spirit, a deep religious attitude, and an intense desire to reach home alive and be with friends again. They were written to his wife, Lucinda, his parents, Washington Conner and his brother-in-law, John Rice. There is also a letter from Mathias Cain to his wife Elizabeth, telling of his brother James' sickness and death.

A few quotations from James Cain's letters follow. They were fastened with sealing wax, without envelopes, and addressed to Mrs. Lucinda Cain, Kirksville, Mo.

> "Lucinda, my dear wife—you write that you are afraid that I see a great deal of trouble—but there is nothing that troubles me as much as being away from home, and especially being away from you all, though there is enough to trouble the heart of the righteous. . . .
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> "Tell father if he will let Jackson come and stay with you and Basheba that King and I will give him fifty dollars when we return home from California if God will spare our lives to come home again. . . .
>
> "Tell mother that I rejoiced when I heard that she had joined the church, for religion is all that is worth living for in this world." . . .

His wife, Lucinda, writes him that she is living with her brother, John Rice, where she expects to stay until he comes home. Then James Cain writes a long letter dated Sept., 1850, to John Rice, thanking him for his great kindness to his sister Lucinda. He also speaks of his child and other matters.

In a letter to his parents in June, 1850, he says:

"I think that I can come home this fall or winter and be very well paid for my trouble a crossing the Plain, but I shall never get paid for leaving home. I think that if no accident happens to me, I can bring home with me five thousand dollars in gold."

He worked in the mines awhile, but most of the time, owned and operated a ferry boat at Sacramento. His brother, Mathias, writes pathetically of his sickness and death. His tongue from the first was so swollen he could hardly talk, and just a few minutes before he died, Mathias helped him to stand on the floor awhile.

Mathias soon came home and became administrator of his brother's estate which was probated in the Oct. 1851 term of court; but his administering was not satisfactory as old county records at Kirksville show. The records show that Lucinda Cain files resignation of her right as administrator in favor of George Rice.

In the letters, James W. Cain speaks familiarly of Jackson, as though he were one of the family. The only "Jackson" in the Cain families that we can find any trace of, was Jackson Hill Cain, son of John Cain.

"Jackson," a brother to Basheba, was then in his teens and may have been working for, and staying with, James Cain, father of James W. Cain. At any rate, Basheba and Lucinda did not live together long, for in the following September we find Lucinda and her child Delcena, living with her brother, John Rice.

Children of James Cain—order of birth uncertain:

i. Mathias (Tice), went to Calif. in 1849, was a Confederate Captain and recruiting officer in Adair Co. in Civil War; m. (1) Elizabeth ———, (2) Sarah Ivie.
ii. George, m. Rhoda Gates—children: (a) William; (b) John; (c) Thomas; (d) Joseph; (e) Van; (f) Calvin.
iii. William S.
iv. John J.
v. Thomas, m. Jane Sumpter.
vi. Joseph, m. Amanda Upton—children: (a) John; (b) James.
vii. Van, m. Persley Mills.
viii. Calvin.
ix. Margaret.
x. Emiline.
xi. Celia.
xii. James W., went to Calif. in 1849, d. Oct. 1, 1850; m. July 15, 1848, Lucinda Rice, b. 1818 or 1828, d. June 10, 1901—one child, (a) Delcena, b. Nov. 1, 1849; m. (1) 1864, William Hall b. Feb. 14, 1841, d. 1891—had two children:
(a) James Hall, b. Oct. 3, 1866; m. (1) Iano Thrailkill; m. (2) Melissa Mulvie Scofield and had children: Olive Leola, b. Jan. 31, 1895; Virgil Arden, b. July 7, 1898; Harkin E., b. Nov. 17, 1901; m. Mary Medsker. No children. Address, 501 S. Elson St., Kirksville, Mo.
(b) Hiram Hall, b. 1868, d. June 10, 1927; m. Myrtle Ebbert. No children.

Delcena Cain Hall, m. (2) Mr. Medsker, divorced; (3) 1921, Sherman Stookey, b. July, 1847, d. July 10, 1927. Mrs. Stookey's address, 501 S. Elson, Kirksville, Mo.

Lucinda Rice Cain, m. (2) Nathan Greenstreet and had children: (a) Elizabeth, b. Apr. 17, 1856; m. Cary Thompson and had three children—Myrtle, Addie and Henry; (b) Rebecca, b. 1858, d. 1912; m. Walter Kennedy; (c) John, b. Jan. 31, 1854; m. 1891 and had one child, Cora, who m. Charley Guy. No children.

PART VI.

The Philemon Conner Family.

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(SALLIE M. CONNER)

FOREWORD

Since I was a little girl of ten summers, I have been intensely interested in the history of the Conner family. I used to ply my grandfather, Washington Conner, with many questions about our part of the history of the Irish race. He told me that his father, my great-grandfather, Philemon Conner, was born in Ireland and that Philemon's father was an Irish weaver, and that the name of our ancestors in Ireland was O'Connor or O'Conner, for as he spoke the word, I could not tell which spelling he meant.

Mrs. Mary Eller (Conner) Linder, (See 14C) granddaughter of Philemon, the only living representative of the third generation, says, "I think the right name was O'Connor but Daddy (Washington Conner) left Kentucky when he was fourteen and when he got here (Missouri) he always signed it 'Conner.' "

Whether Philemon spelled his name 'Connor' or 'Conner' is a mooted question. All of Philemon's children spelled the name 'Conner.'

However, among the effects of Washington Conner at the time of his death, was found a very old Bible containing the family record of Philemon and all of his children—in which the family name was spelled C O N N O R. My authority for the way in which the name was spelled in the record contained in this old Bible is Mrs. Laura M. (Conner) Draper, (26C)—great-granddaughter of Philemon who was in possession of this Bible at the time it was destroyed by fire. Mrs. Draper states that she remembers distinctly that the family name was spelled in this Bible "C O N N O R."

Who wrote the record in this Bible or when it was written we do not know. Neither do we know who originally possessed the Bible, Philemon or Washington. This record was written in ink and well preserved and was found in the central part of the book. It contained the name of "Philemon Connor and Surroh McLonie, his wife," dates of their birth, and marriage, names of their children and dates when each was born. All through the name was written "C O N N O R." Whether this writing of the Connor family name in the old Bible was an error in spelling or whether it was the way Philemon, and his immediate ancestors spelled it, the reader must judge for himself.

"O'Connor" is an ancient Irish name, which apparently originated about 1020 as indicated in the following quotations:

From "Irish Pedigrees," by John O'Hart—Vol. I, p. 633.

"O'Connor—Kings of Connaught.

"Arms: Ar. an oak tree eradicated ppr.

"BRIAN, the eldest brother of NIALL MOR, (OF the PRINCES of TYRONE pedigree) was the first King of CONNAUGHT, of the Hy-Niall Sept, and ancestor of O'Conchobhair of Connaught; anglicized O'Connor, O'Conor, Connor, Conor and Conyers."

From "History of Ireland and Her People" by Fitzgerald,

Page 642, Vol. V:

"Irish surnames—Surnames were partially adopted by various tribes as early as the 9th and 10th Centuries, but hereditary and permanent surnames were not established until the 11th and 12th Centuries."

Page 567:

"Connaught, the smallest, least populous and most Westernly of the five provinces of Ireland— . . . . During the Irish Pentarchy, Connaught was ruled by the O'Connors.

Page 844:

"For the sake of distinction, by request of the King Brian Boru, family designations were chosen—the son of the Monarch, Prince or Chief prefixing 'Mac,' meaning 'son of', while the grandsons and more remote kinsmen took 'Ui', now written 'O' meaning 'descendant of.' "

We first hear of Philemon Connor at or near Harrodsburg, Mercer County, Kentucky, where he married and his children were born.

My sister, Mrs. Laura M. Draper, began a collection of notes and manuscripts for the Conner record, about 1900. In 1903, I began a record in the Bible of my father and mother, David Lewis Conner, and Ann Elizabeth Conner, and with their help, I have added to it during the last twenty-eight years. I had long wished to have these notes printed in the form of a genealogy.

In 1930, I came in touch with a far removed cousin, Mr. J. Newton Cross, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, who was compiling a genealogy of the Cross-Gentry-Cain-Blythe families, and as his work already included the Conners, he suggested that I undertake to give a complete history and genealogy of the Conner family.

I consented to do this, and am greatly indebted to Mr. Cross for his help and for the standard of truth and accuracy which he has endeavored to maintain throughout. I bespeak for him a high appreciation of his efforts by all readers of this work.

For myself, I have been amply rewarded by the new acquaintances that I have made, by the interest in family relationships that I have helped to bring about, and by the sympathies and comforting words of many dear friends.

SARAH McLONIE (Sallie M.) CONNER.

THE CONNER FAMILY

A search in the County Clerk's office at Harrodsburg, Mercer County, Kentucky, and also in the County Clerk's office of Lincoln County, Kentucky, from which Mercer was formed, fails to show any record (deed or marriage certificate) in which the name of Philemon Conner or Philemon Connor appears.

A letter from the "Bureau of Pensions," Washington, D. C., shows that a Revolutionary soldier, Philemon Conner, was born in Orange County, Virginia, June 29, 1763, and was the son of John Conner. He enlisted from Orange County, and served as a private two months each at several different times in 1779-80-81, two of these times as a substitute for his father, and he served in an Indian campaign, after he moved to Kentucky. After the war, he moved with his father and step-mother, to Washington County, Virginia, then to Lincoln County, Kentucky, then to Mercer County, and later to Fayette and Scott Counties, Kentucky. In 1795, he moved to Boone County, Kentucky, then in 1829, he moved to Fayette County, Indiana. He drew a pension on Claim "S.17364."

From the fact that this Philemon Conner was living in Mercer County, Kentucky, when our Philemon Conner came there from Ireland in 1790, and because they had the same rare given name, we conclude that they were related, and considering their ages they must have been first cousins.

FIRST GENERATION

(1C) PHILEMON CONNER, or PHILEMON CONNOR (see Foreword), was born in Ireland, Sept. 16, 1771, came to the United States in 1790, lived at or near Harrodsburg, Kentucky, where he died Sept. 6, 1827. He married Jan. 8, 1801, Sarah McLonie, who was born March 11, 1782. She and her minor living children emigrated to Howard County, Missouri, about 1830; later, with some of her children, she moved to Adair County, Mo., in about 1840, and died there Sept. 1, 1861. She was buried in the old Collett cemetery west of Kirksville.

Children (Conner)—born near Harrodsburg, Kentucky:

i. Margaret, b. Nov. 18, 1802, d. in Ky., Sept. 6, 1821.
2C ii. Catherine, b. Oct. 16, 1804, m. 3 times.
3C iii. Washington, b. Dec. 7, 1806, m. 2 times.
iv. and v. Twins, b. in 1808, d. infancy.
vi. Nancy, b. Apr. 3, 1810; m. David Barnett, children: (a) George; (b) James; (c) Samuel; (d) Mildred; (e) Matilda.
vii. James, b. Apr. 12, 1812; m. and had children: (a) Joseph, a Baptist

minister and graduate from the A. S. O. (American School of Osteopathy) in 1902.

4C viii. John C., b. May 2, 1814, m., wife's name unknown.

5C ix. Lewis, b. June 6, 1816; m. 2 times.

x. Elizabeth, b. Feb. 6, 1818, d. in infancy.

xi. Wm. Thompson, b. July 15, 1820, d. 1836.

SECOND GENERATION

(2C) CATHERINE CONNER[2] (Philemon[1]), b. Oct. 16, 1804, near Harrodsburg, Kentucky; m. 1st, in Ky., a Mr. Collett and had one child Asa King Collett. See (3CR) page 183. She m. 2nd, in Howard Co., Mo., Abraham Vaughan, by whom she had seven children; m. 3rd, Valentine Mayo of Randolph Co., Mo., no issue. Mr. and Mrs. Mayo were living with Lewis Vaughan, four miles from Huntsville, Mo., at the time of their deaths.

Children (Vaughan), b. in Mo.:

6C i. Icy Phene, b. July 7, 1822; m. James Redford Alderman.

ii. Frances, m. George Edwards, children: (a) Icy; (b) Victoria; (c) George, Jr., minister at Macon, Mo.

iii. Frederick Philemon, m. Jane Still, sister of Dr. A. T. Still, (See 7C), children: (a) Catherine Conner, m. S. D. Barnett; (b) James Finley, dec'd; (c) Frederick Philemon, Jr., m. Stella Fluke; (1) Winifred Morovia, m. R. D. Fluke; (e) Barbara Anne, m. H. D. Kennedy and lives at Ottawa, Kansas; (f) Abraham Still, m. Ida Amsden; (g) Icy Phene, dec'd.

iv. James, a minister, d. near Hale, Carroll Co., Mo.

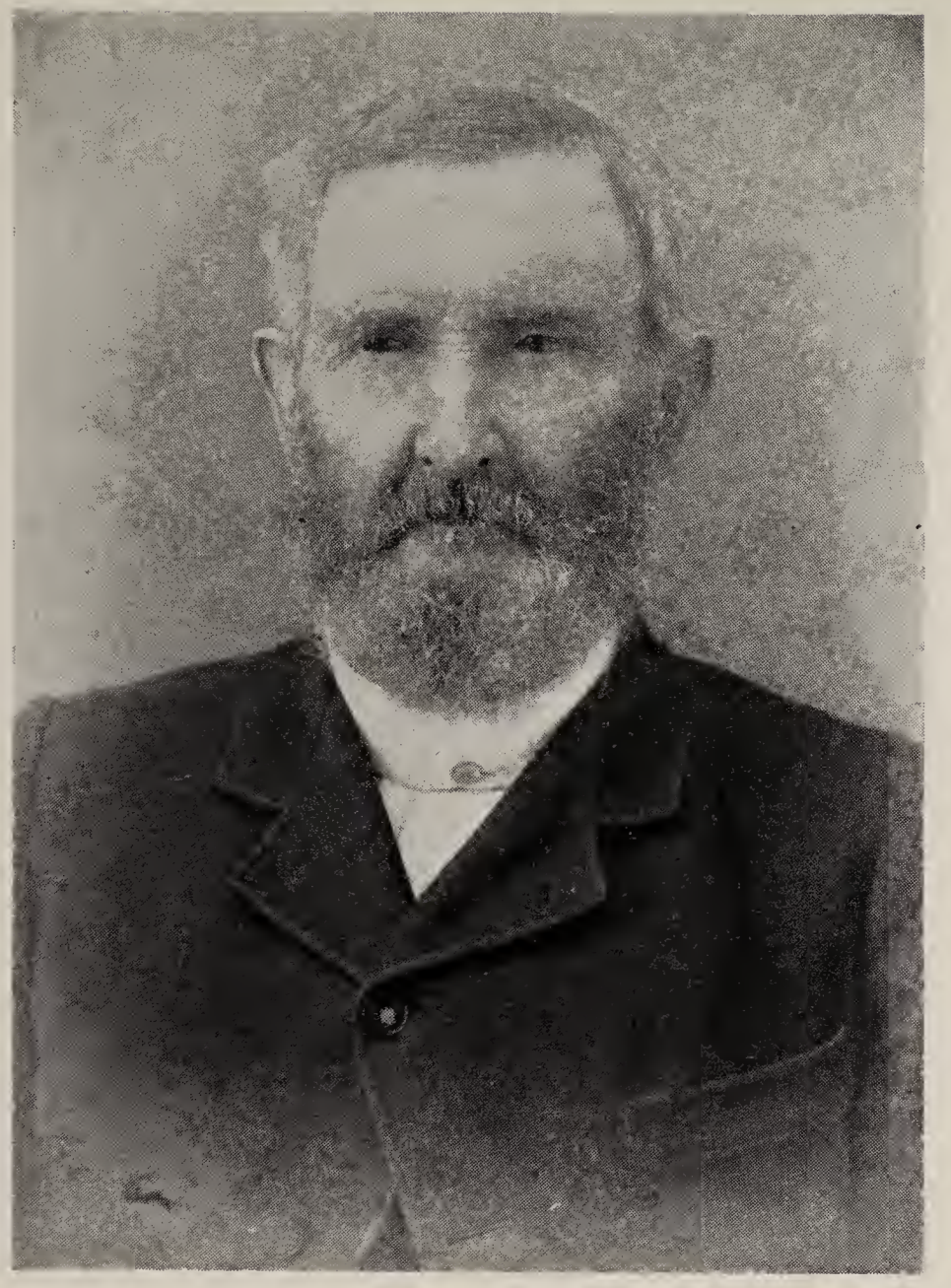
7C v. Mary Margaret, m. Dr. A. T. Still.

vi. Lewis, m. Mollie Minor, children: (a) Addie; (b) William, lived at Huntsville, Mo.; (c) Mildred; (d) Robert; (e) Luther.

vii. Joseph, m. Mildred Robbins, children: (a) George; (b) Ura; (c) Luther; (d) Joseph, Jr.; (e) Maud, m. John Painter, Elmer, Mo., and had one child: John Paul; (f) William; (g) Ethel; (h) Claude.

(3C) WASHINGTON CONNER[2] (Philemon[1]), b. Dec. 7, 1806, near Harrodsburg, Ky., emigrated to Howard Co., Mo., in 1821, d. July 8, 1890; m. Feb. 28, 1828, Celia Cain, b. in Madison Co., Ky., Aug. 27, 1808, (see Robertson manuscript, Part V, Chap. IV). They moved from Howard to Adair Co. about 1838, where she died Aug. 26, 1841, and was buried in the old Collett cemetery west of Kirksville. About sixty years after her death, a monument was erected over her grave by her son, David Lewis Conner, and the children of another son, James Frederick Conner, bearing the inscription: "Celia Cain, wife of Washington Conner, born May 1, 1810, died Aug. 26, 1841." (We cannot account for this discrepancy in the dates of birth of Celia Cain).

Washington Conner was a true pioneer and contributed much in a substantial and helpful way, to build up his community. A few excerpts from a "Memoriam" prepared by a committee of the



WASHINGTON CONNER

MARTHA WELLS JONES (KIMBROUGH) CONNER
(MRS. WASHINGTON CONNER)

Masonic Lodge to which he belonged, are given below. These show something of his attainments and high standing.

Brethren of the Masonic Fraternity: again we are called upon to mourn the loss of one of our number.

"Brother Washington Conner, on the 7th of July passed to that undiscovered country from whose bourne no traveler has returned. He has, by the order of the Grand Master of the Universe, been called up higher to receive his wages and enter the Grand Lodge above.

"Bro. Conner was one of the oldest citizens of Adair Co. He was here before Kirksville was a town, when the whoop of the Indian was heard on the vast prairie, and in the dense forest, when neighbors were few and far between.

"He was the soul of Good Fellowship. The latchstring to his door was always on the outside; hundreds have sat at his board and enjoyed his bounty. He was a zealous worker in the cause of his Master, and always ready to go where duty called. His hand was ever ready to administer to the wants of suffering humanity, wherever they might be found.

"He had passed the time allotted to man, having gone beyond the fourscore mark, reaching the ripe age of 84 years, tottering and feeble in body, but his mind still vigorous. Bro. Conner was one of the oldest, if not the oldest Mason in the county. He was a charter member of Kirksville Lodge, No. 128, which was organized the 24th day of May, 1850, and was its first Senior Deacon. He was also a charter member of Kirksville Lodge, No. 105, of which he was a member at the time of his death. . . .

"How we miss him, especially those of us who knew him best. A few will long remember the last visit he made to the Lodge. At the close of the meeting, he was called upon to make some remarks. Rising feebly, he said, 'I will sing you a song.' Stepping into the middle of the room, he sang in a clear, but faltering voice, one of the old songs. It mellowed every heart, and brought the tears to many an eye.

"But he is gone: he has passed as a shadow, away, and a familiar face has been withdrawn; we will no more hear his voice in our Councils. While we drop a tear over his grave, and remember his many virtues, let us remember that we too, are mortal, that the place that now knows us, will soon know us no more forever."

Washington Conner moved to the Adair County territory about 1838, no doubt at the instance of his father-in-law, John Cain, who went there in 1830, eleven years before the county was organized. For many years he operated a grist mill, and a saw mill, and kept a general store seven miles northwest of Kirksville. He also established a tan yard there. It is related that his oldest son, David Lewis, in his early manhood, was his father's able assistant in these operations.

Washington Conner married, 2nd, Mar. 23, 1846, Mrs. Martha Wells (Jones) Kimbrough, relict of the late J. J. Kimbrough. (See excursus, Jones-Kimbrough.)

Children (Conner)—born, 1st six in Howard Co., others in Adair Co.:
(By 1st wife—Celia Cain Conner)—

i. Levi Lancaster, b. Jan. 2, 1829, d. Sept. 15, 1854, not m.
ii. John Philemon, b. Sept. 6, 1830, d. Dec. 5, 1845.

8C iii. Winifred Margaret, b. Sept. 20, 1832; m. John T. Jones.
9C iv. David Lewis, b. Oct. 26, 1834; m. Ann Elizabeth Kimbrough.
10C v. James Frederick, b. Feb. 4, 1837; m. Mary Morris.
11C vi. Wm. Thompson, b. Feb. 26, 1839; m. Emaline Crow.

(By 2nd wife—Martha W. J. Kimbrough Conner)—

vii. Jesse Leven, b. June 28, 1847, d. Apr. 27, 1899; m. Helen Parcels, Oct. 15, 1872, one child: (a) Minnie Conner, dec'd, not m.
12C viii. John Thompson, b. Nov. 12, 1848; m. Hannah Ann Burris.
ix. George Washington, b. Feb. 20, 1852, d. Aug. 23, 1853.
x. Washington Philemon, b. May 15, 1854, d. Dec. 27, 1884, in Minn. Unmarried, his will making his mother his sole beneficiary, was probated in Adair Co., Feb., 1885.
xi. Sarah McLonie (1st), b. Apr. 29, 1856, d. of tuberculosis Sept. 27, 1876; m. Albert Matthews who d. in 1877; had 1 child, d. infancy, 1876.
13C xii. Celia Catherine, b. May 10, 1858; m. John F. Linder.
14C xiii. Mary Eller (2nd), b. May 20, 1860; m. Wm. P. Linder.

Inscriptions from tombstones in Bear Creek cemetery located N. W. of Kirksville, copied in 1931 by James W. Jones, grandson of Washington Conner, read:

"Washington Conner

born Dec. 7-1806, died July 8-1890"

"Martha W. Conner

born Dec. 9-1820, died May 26-1891"

(4C) JOHN C. CONNER[2] (Philemon[1]), b. May 2, 1814, d. Aug. 9, 1851; m. (wife's name unknown).

Children (Conner):

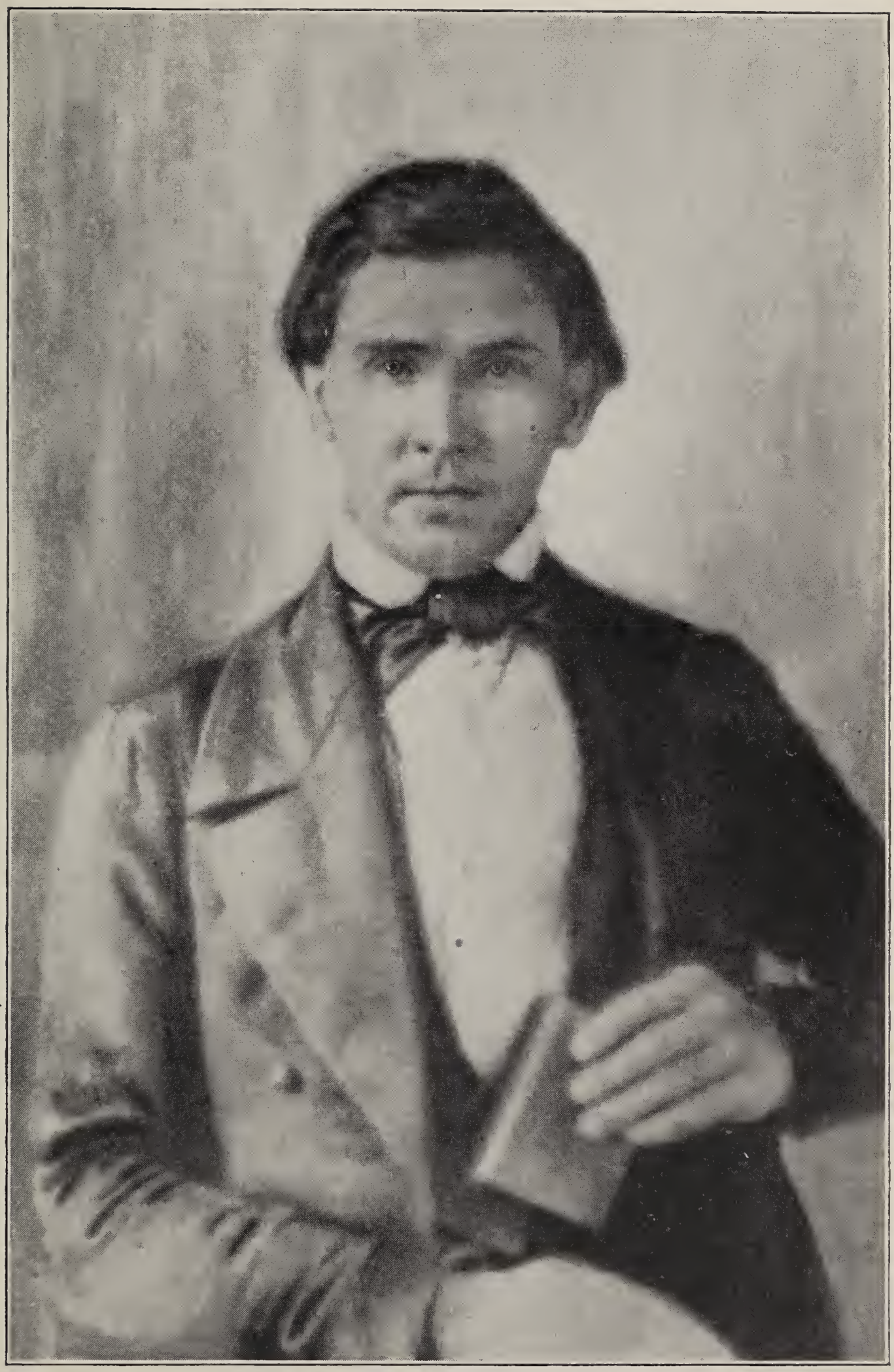
i. Sarah Ann, m. Mr. Hood, children: (a) Amy; (b) Job; (c) Jefferson; (d) Sarah; (e) Mary, m. Mr. Elmore and had children: (1) Nancy, (2) Vetta, and (3) Harriet who m. Dr. Woodmansee of Iowa.
ii. William, m. Florence Parcels and had children: (a) Helen who m. Lough Parcels (2nd wife); (b) Lee, d. single.

(5C) LEWIS CONNER[2] (Philemon[1]), b. June 6, 1816, near Harrodsburg, Ky., was a noted Baptist Evangelist, and accompanied by his brother, Washington Conner, known as "The Sweet Singer," held many protracted meetings throughout North Missouri. He died January 4, 1856, and was buried in Bear Creek Cemetery on his farm, seven miles northwest of Kirksville. He married, 1st, in 1838, Elizabeth Wilhite, who died in 1849; 2nd, in 1850, Mary Jane Bradley, born May 19, 1818, and died July 27, 1894.

Children (Conner)—born in Boone and Adair Counties:

(By 1st marriage)—

15C i. Stephen, m. Josephine Edwards.
16C ii. Laura A., b. Oct. 26, 1849, near Harrisburg, Mo.; m. David Washington Long.



LEWIS CONNER, SR.

(By 2nd marriage)—

17C iii. Mary Eller (1st), b. Oct. 9, 1851; m. I. M. Crow.
18C iv. Martha Nancy, b. Sept. 19, 1853; m. Minor B. Horton.
19C v. Thos. Lewis, b. Oct. 13, 1855; m. Margaret A. Hardin.

THIRD GENERATION

(6C) ICYPHENE VAUGHAN[3] (Catherine,[2] Philemon[1]), b. July 7, 1822, in Mo., d. May 3, 1901, in Macon Co., Mo.; m. Sept. 24, 1840, James Redford Alderman, a Methodist minister, b. Apr. 22, 1812, in Athens, Ohio, d. Oct. 24, 1872, in Macon, Mo. The following dates are from James R. Alderman's family Bible, now owned by Wm. Wesley Alderman.

Children (Alderman)—born in Randolph Co., Mo.:

i. Mariot Catherine, b. Jan. 6, 1842, d. Mar. 23, 1847.
ii. J. F., b. Nov. 23, 1845, d. Feb. 18, 1847.
iii. James R., b. Nov. 13, 1847, d. July 14, 1848.
iv. E. Price, b. Sept. 22, 1849, d. July 18, 1860.
20C v. William Wesley, b. Sept. 6, 1851; m. Eliza Ann Holman.
vi. Icyphene, b. July 21, 1853, d. Apr. 6, 1928. She married April 5th, 1870, Macon Co., Mo., Samuel Loos Hertzler, b. March 30, 1849, at Myerstown, Pa. He was son of Levi Hertzler. Is a retired farmer, residing at Elmer, Mo. They had four children:
(a) James Levi, b. Apr. 3, 1872, now deceased.
(b) Samuel Albert, b. Apr. 27, 1874, d. May 2nd, 1928. He was a merchant at Ralston, Okla. He married in Macon Co., Mo., March 2nd, 1903, Nora Alberta Ross, b. Knox Co., Mo., Mar. 22, 1879. They were parents of two children: Tressa Gail, b. Nov. 21, 1903; m. Rev. O. James Sowell of Mayfield, and Doris Lenora, b. Ralston, Okla., Dec. 5, 1905; m. May 30, 1930, William M. Hanley, with the Cleveland Gas & Stove Co., Cleveland, Ohio. Mrs. Hertzler resides at Ralston, Okla.
(c) William Edwin, b. Nov. 11, 1876; m. Amma Carpenter.
(d) Charles Herbert, b. July 29, 1881; m. at Billings, Okla., June 16, 1901, Ona Meeks. They reside at Gracemont, Okla., and have three children: Lillian Icyphene, Ruby Julia and Cecil Charles.
vii. Julia Ann, b. Mar. 21, 1856; m. at Macon Mo., Oct. 30, 1873, James Alexander Hudson, b. Oct. 7, 1853, d. July 22, 1922. For many years he was owner of telephone system at Columbia, Missouri. She died May 14, 1926, being mother of three children.
(a) Ethel Doris, b. Keytesville, Mo., Dec. 18, 1879, educated at Missouri University; m. Dec. 26, 1906, James Patterson McBaine, of Columbia, Mo., Dean Law School, University of Mo., 1919-1928, now on faculty of University of California. (See Who's Who in America). Children: Annie Elizabeth and Turner Hudson.
(b) General Alexander, b. Macon, Mo., Sept. 20, 1883; m. Florence Kipfer and resides at Worster, Ohio.
(c) James Franklin, b. Macon, Mo., Oct. 8, 1887, educated at Missouri University; m. Dec. 25, 1926, Gertrude Frese, b. May 17, 1902. They reside at Hollywood, Calif., and have

two children: James Alexander, b. Feb. 18, 1928, and John Franklin, b. Mar. 11, 1930.

viii. James Finley, b. Oct. 29, 1858, d. Jan. 16, 1860.

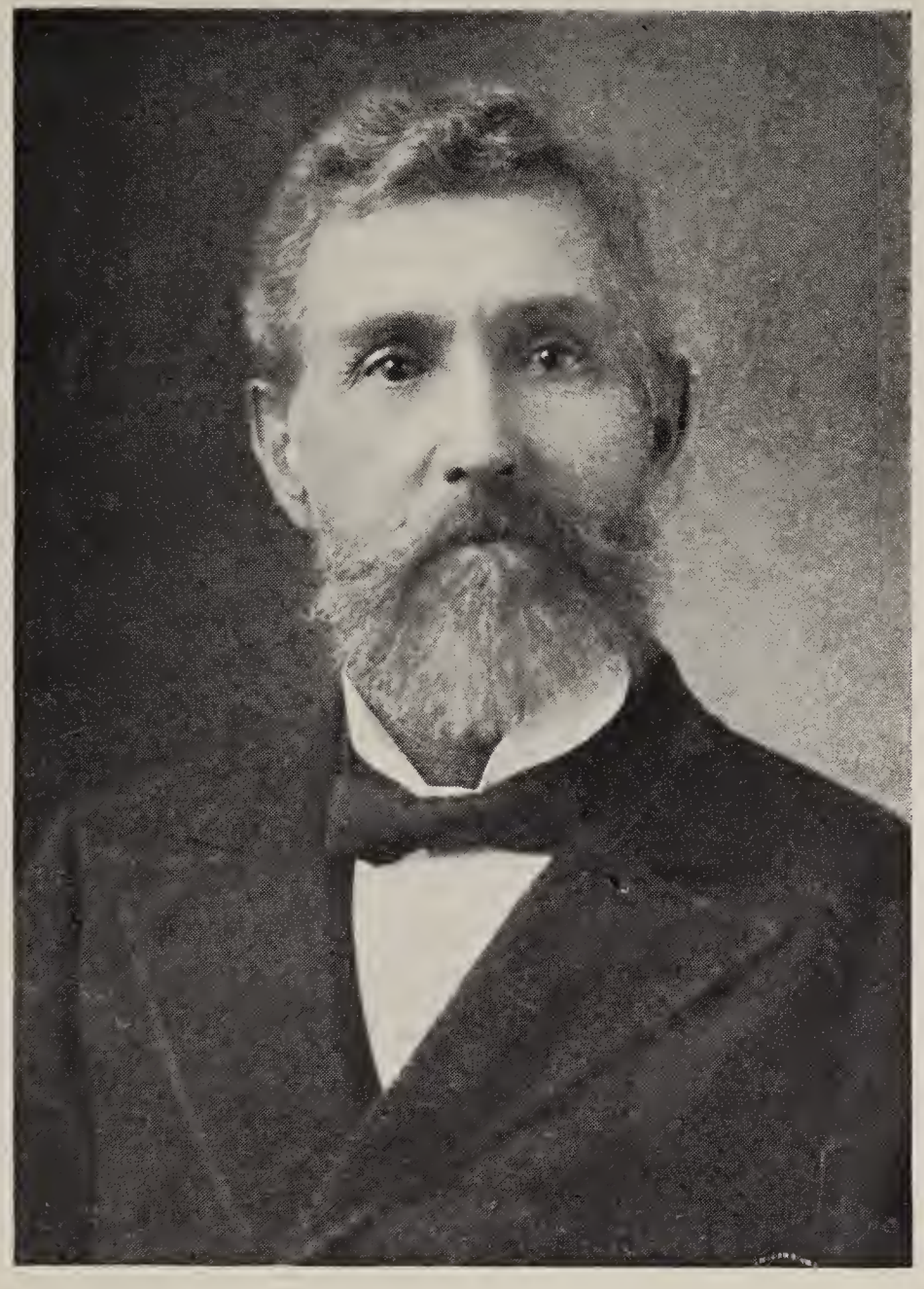
ix. Martha, b. Dec. 1, 1860, d. Feb. 26, 1862.

x. Joseph, b. Sept. 9, 1863, d. Dec. 29, 1863.

(7C) MARY MARGARET VAUGHAN[3] (Catherine,[2] Philemon[1]), married Jan. 29, 1849, Dr. Andrew Taylor Still, who was born in Virginia in 1829. They lived on a farm in Macon County, Dr. Still teaching a part of the time at a wage sometimes as low as $15 a month. In 1853 they moved to Shawnee Mission, forty miles west of Kansas City, where they again lived on a farm, but he spent much of his time helping his father, who was a physician and a Methodist minister, treat his Indian patients for different ailments. By such experience and by reading medicine with his father, he became a doctor. He took part in the early political struggles in Kansas, and for two years was a surgeon in a Kansas regiment. After the war he spent one year in the Medical College at Kansas City, Missouri. His inquisitive turn of mind led him to dig up Indian skeletons and study them. He invented a mower and a churn. The churn he peddled with some success. His wife died Sept. 29 1859, leaving three young children. In November, 1860, he married Mary Turner, with whom he lived more than fifty years. In 1864, two of his first three children and an adopted child, died of spinal meningitis. The other one, Jerusha, married John W. Cowgill of Ottawa, Kansas, and had children: (a) Margaret, dec'd; (b) Josephine; (c) Henry and (d) Ralph, both Osteopathic physicians.

In 1874, Dr. Still formulated his ideas and experiences into a system to which in his public announcement he gave the name "Osteopathy." After meeting great opposition, traveling from place to place through Kansas and Missouri, for thirteen years, practicing his new theories with indifferent success, and suffering much distress of body and mind, he located at Kirksville, Mo. There, in 1892, he founded "The American School of Osteopathy" (A. S. O.). This school was started with only two teachers in charge, whose teaching and demonstration work was all confined to a one-room building. This enterprise met with great success and led to the establishing of many other schools of like character, until soon Osteopathy was known all over the United States.

The issue of Dr. Still's second marriage was five children, four of whom became well known in business and professional life: (a) Charles E.; (b) Harry S.; (c) Herman; (d) Fred, died in early manhood; (e) Blanche, married Dr. George M. Laughlin, later president and founder of the Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery. Dr. Still died in Kirksville in 1917 in his eighty-ninth year.



DAVID L. CONNER, SR.

ANN ELIZABETH (KIMBROUGH) CONNER
(MRS. DAVID L. CONNER)

(8C) WINIFRED MARGARET CONNER[3] (Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), born in Howard County, Mo., Sept. 20, 1832, died Feb. 2, 1868; married May 27, 1851, John T. Jones, born May 19, 1829, died June 25, 1882. (See "Excursus Jones").

Children (Jones)—Born and reared in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Celia Elizabeth, b. Mar. 28, 1852, d. Apr. 17, 1854.
21C ii. Jesse St. Clair (twin), b. Apr. 28, 1855; m. Elizabeth Latham.
iii. George Washington (twin), b. Apr. 28, 1855, d. June 15, 1894; m. Mar., 1883, Elizabeth Clemens, b. in 1857. No children.
22C iv. John Lewis, b. Sept. 17, 1858; m. Sophia Reib.
23C v. Nancy Ann, b. Dec. 7, 1861; m. Charles Jennings.
24C vi. James William, b. Feb. 14, 1864; m. Mary Madden.

(9C) DAVID LEWIS CONNER[3] (Washington,[2] Philemon)[1], b. Oct. 26, 1834, in Howard Co., Mo., moved with his parents to Adair Co., Mo., about 1840, helped his father operate a general store, tanyard, grist mill; lived a few years in Sullivan Co., Mo.; spent his last years in Kirksville, Mo., where he died Oct. 6, 1910; buried in Bear Creek Cemetery.

His life was an open book, full of good deeds. In 1864 and 1865, he and his brothers, Jesse, James, John T., and others from Kirksville, made trips across the plains with ox teams and covered wagons; hauling freight from Atchison, Kansas, to Denver and Salt Lake City; living mostly upon buffalo meat; braving Indian dangers, and fording bridgeless rivers.

On Apil 19, 1858, he married his step-sister, Ann Elizabeth Kimbrough, born in Randolph Co., June 8, 1840, died in Kirksville, Mo., Sept. 13, 1928; buried by the side of her husband. For fifty-three years, congenial, thrifty, with lofty ideals and high ambitions for themselves and children, they traveled the pathway of life, transmitting to their nine wholesome sons and daughters, a heritage of true worth and noble character. All of their children were born on the farm in Adair County, and all were living in 1931, except the first born who died Nov. 18, 1922, in her sixty-fourth year.

At their home in Kirksville, in 1908, they celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary. All of their children were present, bringing tokens of love, making the occasion a happy day for their parents. Six of these children, three sons and three daughters, fitted themselves for the practice of Osteopathy, in which line of work they have achieved remarkable success. After many years' service as Osteopathic physicians and surgeons, five of them still cleave to their chosen profession.

The next week after Mr. Conner's death, the "'Weekly Graphic" of Kirksville, printed a long article from which we take the following extracts:

"There was born to this union nine children, three sons and six daughters, all of whom are living. . . . Much to the delight and satisfaction of the father and mother, all of these were able to come home a few weeks ago, and enjoy a family reunion. The father, who was then confined to his bed, was greatly cheered and improved with the pleasure of having all his children with him again.

"The deceased united with the Baptist church at Bear Creek about 1850, and was a consistent Christian until the day of his death, and died trusting in Jesus Christ as his Saviour.

"He was made a Mason in Dec. of 1864, and was a beloved brother, much esteemed for his cordiality and friendly spirit by the members of that order, a large number of whom were present at his funeral.

"As a man, Mr. Conner enjoyed a most enviable reputation for honesty, integrity of purpose and life, and consistent dealing with his fellowmen. He was a kind neighbor, an accommodating and genial friend; a model husband and father, exceedingly tender in all the relations of life which he sustained to others.

"The services at the grave, consisted of the beautiful and impressive ritual of the Masonic Order, which was unusually well rendered, in the presence of a great throng of people.

Of Mrs. D. L. Conner, the Kirksville "Daily Express," Sept. 13, 1928, said: "Mrs. Ann E. Conner, one of the oldest citizens of Kirksville, passed away today at her home, 816 S. Sixth St., at the age of 88 years. Mrs. Conner was a woman of splendid character, and a loving and devoted mother. She was well known in Adair County and the surrounding vicinity, and leaves a wide circle of friends who will join in extending sincere sympathy to the family in its bereavement."

Inscriptions on monument at Bear Creek Cemetery read "Conner, David L., 1834-1910; Ann E., 1840-1928."

Children (Conner)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

25C i. Celia Martha, b. Jan. 30, 1859; m. Seth Thomas Kennedy.
26C ii. Laura Margaret, b. Sept. 3, 1861; m. L. C. Draper.
27C iii. Susan Elizabeth, b. Feb. 19, 1864; m. 3 times.
28C iv. Washington Jarvis, b. Nov. 12, 1866, m. Ida May Kennedy.
29C v. Mary Ann, b. Apr. 29, 1869.
30C vi. Sarah McLonie (2nd), b. June 4, 1871.
31C vii. David Lewis, Jr., b. Mar. 24, 1873; m. Luella Conboy.
32C viii. Charles Hardin, b. Feb. 20, 1875; m. Myrtle Natalie Linder.
33C ix. Anna Kimbrough, b. July 19, 1877; m. 2 times.

(10C) JAMES FREDERICK CONNER[3] (Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Feb. 4, 1837, in Howard Co., Mo., reared in Adair Co., Mo. In the early sixties, in company with his brothers, David L., John T., Jesse, and others, he made several trips across the plains, freighting from Atchison, Kan., to Denver and Salt Lake City. He died April 14, 1893, at his home three miles north of Kirksville, and was buried in Bear Creek cemetery.

JAMES FREDERICK CONNER and DAVID LEWIS CONNER

On March 27, 1866, he married Mary Morris, born Dec. 4, 1840, still living on the old home farm, with a daughter and son-in-law, highly esteemed by neighbors and friends.

Children (Conner)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

34C i. Allen, b. June 2, 1867; m. Lenora Wilkinson.
35C ii. Leonidas, b. June 17, 1869; m. Alice Musson.
36C iii. Frank, b. Jan. 13, 1871; m. Nellie Dolan.
iv. Arthur, b. Mar. 15, 1872, d. Feb. 2, 1911.
37C v. Ethel (son), b. Mar. 13, 1875; m. Lulu Payne.
vi. Elizabeth, b. May 3, 1877, d. Sept. 7, 1891.
vii. Winifred, b. Oct. 1, 1880; m. July 3, 1922, D. Roy Amon, b. Oct. 2, 1888. They live on the old home place where Mrs. Amon was born and reared, and her mother lives with them.

(11C) WILLIAM THOMPSON CONNER[3] (Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Feb. 26, 1839, d. in 1880; m. Emaline Crow who was born in Tenn.

Children (Conner)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Celia, b. Sept. 12, 1867; m. Frank Pickens, d. Mar. 6, 1926.
38C ii. Russell, b. Nov. 24, 1869; m. Hattie Stites.
39C iii. Jesse, b. April, 1872; m. Millie Lewis.
iv. Emma, b. Sept. 15, 1874, d. Sept. 15, 1914; m. Clyde Winteer.
v. Mollie, b. Nov. 7, 1877; m. Warren Mikel, at Greentop, Mo.
vi. Ollie, b. Mar. 5, 1879.
vii .Willie (dau.), b. July 4, 1880, d. Apr. 24, 1916; m. Albert Pierson.

(12C) JOHN THOMPSON CONNER[3] (Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Nov. 12, 1848, d. 1885; m. Dec. 12, 1870, Hannah Ann Burris. They lived in Adair County, later in Minnesota.

Children (Conner)—born, 1st and 2nd in Adair, 3rd in Macon Co., Mo.:

i. Robert W., b. Sept. 28, 1873, graduated from Business College at 18. from A. S. O., in 1900, located in New Orleans the same year and is still practicing there; m. in Dec., 1900, Carolyn Reynolds.
ii. Herschel L., b. Apr. 1, 1875, graduated from Minneapolis High school, graduated at A. S. O. in 1899, practiced in New Orleans 2 years, in St. Louis 25 years, then in Los Angeles, now in Beverly Hills, Calif.; m. Apr. 1902, Marian Niblock Clapp, two children: (a) Mary Elizabeth; (b) Carolyn.
iii. Harriet M., b. Feb. 3, 1877, grad. from Kirksville H. S. in 1896. from A. S. O. in 1902, practiced in Hattiesburg, Miss., 8 years, moved to St. Louis and engaged in merchandise and real estate work, moved to Los Angeles in 1927, where she now lives.
iv. Edna, b. in 1885 at Excelsior, Minn., d. in 1886.

(13C) CELIA CATHERINE CONNER[3] (Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), born May 10, 1858, died in 1899; married Feb. 20, 1881, John F. Linder, who died Sept. 29, 1910.

Children (Linder)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Ocie Leora, b. Feb. 24, 1883; m. Apr. 15, 1908, at Ft. Collins, Colo., Harry Gilmore Zeigler, had children: (a) Myron Beryl, b. Feb. 9, 1909; (b) Celia Leora, b. July 16, 1912; (c) Harry Raymond, b. Sept. 16, 1916; (d) infant son b. and d. July 18, 1923.
ii. John Arthur, b. Oct. 2, 1886; m. at Caldwell, Idaho, Aug. 15, 1917, Arizona Lucia McCartney, had children: (a) Thomas Paul, b. Feb. 28, 1919, d. May 26, 1924; (b) John Arthur, Jr., b. June 10, 1920; (c) Harold Richard, b. Feb. 19, 1922. Add. Wilder, Ida.

(14C) MARY ELLER CONNER (2nd)[3] (Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), born May 20, 1860; married Oct. 15, 1883, William P. Linder, born Oct. 24, 1862. Now living at Mexico, Mo.

Children (Linder)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. William Washington, b. Sept. 14, 1884; m. Dec. 21, 1904, Mary Ethel Hays, had children: (a) Lelia, b. Nov. 10, 1906; (b) Luella, b. Nov. 3, 1909; (c) Elbert Harrison, b. Mar. 5, 1912; (d) Mary Ethel, b. Nov. 17, 1914; (e) William W., Jr., b. Feb. 15, 1919, d. Mar. 1919. This family lives in Livingston, Montana.
ii. Philip John, b. Sept. 21, 1888; m. June 29, 1911, Olive Dell Carnagey, b. Aug. 31, 1893, had children: (a) Viola Corinne, b. June 23, 1914, graduates from Kirksville H. Sch., in 1932. Family add. 1010 Michigan St., Rt. 6, Kirksville, Mo.
iii. Mary Catherine, b. June 16, 1895; m. Sept. 3, 1913, Eugene Starks, separated in 1930. She is connected with Dept. Store, in Kirksville. Children: (a) Eugene, Jr., b. Nov. 19, 1915, (b) twin sons, John and William, b. and d. Nov. 29, 1923, aged 17 hours, (c) Rosemary, b. Mar. 5, 1925.

(15C) STEPHEN CONNER[3] (Lewis,[2] Philemon[1]), born in Mo., died at Carlyle, Ark.; married Josephine Edwards.

Children (Conner):

i. Emmet, b. in N. Y. City, m. in Kirksville, 1 child: (a) Corinne, b. in Kirksville, Mo.
40C. ii. Charles M., b. in Macon Co., Mo., Apr. 14, 1868; m. Ella D. Long (cousin).
iii. Myra; m. Fletcher Eads, Paris, Mo.
iv. Obedience (Obie), b. 1873, d. 1892, single.

The parents of these children died when the children were quite young, so Emmet and Myra were reared by Minor Horton and wife (18C). Charles (always called "CM") and Obie were reared by David W. Long and wife (16C).

(16C) LAURA A. CONNER[3] (Lewis,[2] Philemon[1]), born near Harrisburg, Boone Co., Mo., Oct. 26, 1849; married Sept. 28, 1865, David Washington Long, born Aug. 18, 1841, died Sept. 16, 1908. Their children were reared on farm north of Columbia, Mo. Mrs. Long, in later years went to Modesto, Calif., to be with her children and died there Feb. 8, 1928. Her mother died when she was six

weeks old and she was reared by her grandparents, Stephen and Sallie (Rowland) Wilhite. Stephen Wilhite's father was Sampson Wilhite whose father was Nicholas Wilhoit, son of John Wilhoit who lived in Germany in about 1690.

Children (Long)—born in Boone and Adair Counties:

i. Lillie, b. Jan. 25, 1867; m. Edward Tanner, b. in Ky. He is d. and she lives at 823 3rd St., Modesto, Calif.
ii. Ella D., b. Apr. 11, 1870; m. Dec. 29, 1897, her cousin, C. M. Conner, had one child (see 40C).
iii. Elizabeth, b. 1872, died at Kirksville, in 1877.
iv. Jesse, b. in 1875, died at Kirksville, Mo., in 1877.
v. Conner Merrit (always called "CM"), b. Mar. 21, 1880; m. June 28, 1904, Carrie Bramlett of O'Fallon, Mo. He grad. from Mo. St. Univ. with B. S. and M. S. degrees in 1905-6, taught in Okla. State Sch., was Co. Farm Agent in Johnson and Pettis Counties, Mo., was connected with Dairy Companies at Chicago from 1921 to 1930, now proprietor of "The Milkmen's Dairy Service", LaFayette, Ind., and the author of a book on "Dairying". Children: (a) Howard P., b. July 31, 1906, grad. of M. S. U. in 1930, editor of paper at Richwood, W. Va.; m. May 3, 1931, Margaret Carnet, Ft. Smith, Ark.; (b) Vivian, b. about 1908, now student at Purdue Univ.; (c) Marian, b. in 1911.
vi. Minor P., b. May 3, 1883, attended Kirksville Normal Sch., and M. S. U., went to Calif. in 1909, where he has since been connected with dairy and the manufacturing of milk products. He m. July 22, 1912, Ruth Edna Lutz, a teacher of Hughson, Calif., b. in Kan., a daughter of Alvin Frederick and Emma Aichele Lutz. Children (a) Jeanne Adele, b. May 8, 1913, at Coquille, Ore.; (b) Richard Frederick, b. June 30, 1915, d. Sept. 22, 1917; (c) Barbara Ruth, b. Sept. 14, 1918, at Modesto, Calif.
viii. Thomas Lewis, b. May 3, 1886, d. near Modesto, Calif., Jan. 11, 1924, killed by a falling power line. (He was a model pupil in the Hallsville, Boone Co., Mo., schools when the author was Principal there in 1905-6-7, and the author was also at his funeral in Modesto, Calif.). At Hallsville, he m. Bess Garrett in about 1911, separated in 1913. One child: (a) Thomas, b. 1912.

(17C) MARY ELLER CONNER, (1st)[3] (Lewis,[2] Philemon[1]), born Oct. 9, 1851, died Mar. 22, 1898; married Feb. 13, 1868, Isaac Manning Crow, born Sept. 17, 1844.

Children (Crow)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

41C. i. Martha Alice, b. Feb. 26, 1869; m. Ben Ely.
42C. ii. Eliza Jane, b. Dec. 24, 1871: m. J. H. Miley.
iii. Lura Elizabeth, b. Apr. 3, 1873; m. Aug. 22, 1893, James Hardin, b. in Adair Co., July 19, 1871. No children.
43C. iv. Lewis Russell, b. Nov. 28, 1875; m. Alma Clifton.
44C. v. Charles Manning, b. Nov. 8, 1880; m. Mabel Griffith.
45C. vi. Mary Cleveland, b. Aug. 12, 1884; m. M. D. Beltzer.
46C. vii. Pearl Ermine, b. Dec. 26, 1887: m. Walter Horton.
viii. Leonard Joseph, b. Nov. 24, 1892: m. Oct. 20, 1909, Alta Lee Adkins, b. Sept. 12, 1889, in Adair Co.: 1 child: (a) Juanita Irene, b. Nov. 14, 1911. Address Kirksville, Mo.

(18C) MARTHA NANCY CONNER[3] (Lewis,[2] Philemon[1]), born Sept. 19, 1853, died Aug. 30, 1920; married Dec. 24, 1874, Minor Bibb Horton, a Baptist minister, born Dec. 4, 1852, died Aug. 20, 1929, at Paris, Mo. They lived in Adair Co., Mo., and besides their own children, reared Emmet and Myra Conner (15C). Mr. Horton married, 2nd, Rose Varney who still is living.

Children (Horton)—born near Kirksville, Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Mary Malinda, b. Oct. 28, 1875, d. Nov. 3, 1878.
ii. William Thomas, b. Apr. 22, 1878, d. Aug. 1, 1887.
iii. John Stephen, b. Mar. 18, 1880, killed accidentally Aug. 1, 1895.
iv. Fannie Bryan, b. Sept. 4, 1882; m. William Jennings Davis, b. Aug. 3, 1886, near Earlsville, Ill.; m. Dec. 24, 1907, settled near Paris, Mo., moved to Liberty, Mo., and had charge of the Odd Fellows Home; now in employ of State Grain and Warehouse Commission. They had children: (a) Charles Minor, b. Jan. 31, 1910, attended William Jewell College where he was a star athlete; now check clerk for the Burlington R. R.; n. m.; (b) Nancy Elizabeth, b. Aug. 24, 1918, near Liberty, Mo., now in school.
v. Ella Crow, b. Mar. 13, 1884; m. Dec. 29, 1909, Heaton Clapper Painter and settled on a farm near Monroe City, Mo.; moved into town in 1928; Children: (a) Elsie Horton, b. Dec. 6, 1913, now a teacher; (b) Robert Elton, b. Nov. 3, 1920, now in school.
vi. Mildred Pemberton, b. Apr. 19, 1886, taught school; m. Nov. 28, 1906, Harry Franklin Painter, b. Dec. 12, 1883, in Monroe Co., Mo., moved into Monroe City in 1924; children: (a) Marvin Ray, b. Feb. 1, 1909, received A. B. degree at William Jewell, now in business at Liberty, Mo., n. m.; (b) Alberta Pauline, b. Mar. 28, 1911, attended Culver Stockton, taught school; m. May 2, 1931, at Indianapolis, Ind., Dewitt Gottman, b. Jan. 17, 1909, in business at Cincinnati, Ohio; (c) Martha Aleene, b. Dec. 24, 1916, now in school.
vii. Jesse Minor, b. Mar. 17, 1889, attended Kirksville Normal, received A. B. degree from Lagrange Baptist College, was athletic director in military camp in Ill., during the World War; now pastor of the First Baptist Church of Hammond, Ind.; m. Oct. 12, 1910, Margaret Varney, a teacher graduate from Kirksville Normal, b. Sept. 23, 1889; children: (a) Gwendolyn, b. July 22, 1911, student in Franklin Baptist College; (b) Dorothy, b. Nov. 2, 1914, as a High School speaker won a scholarship in Franklin College; (c) Rose Virginia, b. Oct. 9, 1917.
viii. Daniel Boone Ray, b. Aug. 19, 1891; m. Apr. 28, 1915, Leona Vee Sherman, a teacher, b. Nov. 10, 1893. They have lived many years in Hannibal, Mo.; children: (a) William Arnold, b. Mar. 18, 1916; (b) Virgil Meredith, b. May 15, 1921.
ix. Elizabeth Bradley, b. May 27, 1894, was graduated from Lagrange and Culver Stockton, taught six years in Monroe Co.; m. Feb. 15, 1914, Chester Marvin Painter, b. May 11, 1892, near Monroe City; children: (a) Harold Bell, b. Jan. 1, 1915. The family live on a farm near Monroe City, Mo.
x. Mattie Sevier, b. Dec. 9, 1896, d. Aug. 7, 1897.
xi. George Harry, b. Mar. 18, 1900, was graduated from Palmer Chiropractic School, Des Moines, Iowa, enlisted in World War, now practicing in St. Louis; m. Oct. 24, 1920, Goldie Huntley, b. in 1899;

children: (a) Marjorie Ruth, b. July 19, 1921, near Paris, Mo.; (b) Harry Dale, b. Oct. 3, 1930, in St. Louis.

(19C) THOMAS LEWIS CONNER[3] (Lewis,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Oct. 13, 1855, d. Jan. 12, 1892; m. in 1877, Margaret Alice Hardin, b. June 13, 1859, d. Jan. 30, 1931.

Children (Conner)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Mary Cecil, b. July 13, 1878; m. Oct. 18, 1903, Joseph Franklin Conder, b. Oct. 27, 1872. Address, LaJunta, Colo. Children: (a) Joseph Ralph, b. Mar. 1, 1905; m. Feb. 24, 1929, Opal Emmeline King and had one child, Margaret Jean, b. Sept. 28, 1930; (b) Robert Cecil, b. Mar. 21, 1907; m. Dec. 17, 1929, Twyla Lucile Cole, and had one child, Robert Cole, b. Jan. 23, 1931; (c) Raymond Maurice, b. Sept. 22, 1908; m. Nov. 25, 1929, Roma Velora Luginbill.
ii. Sybil Elizabeth, b. Oct. 28, 1879. Address, Kirksville, Mo.
iii. Mabel Lee, b. Aug. 5, 1881, d. Dec. 10, 1881.
iv. Nancy Eller (Ellen), b. Oct. 28, 1882, resigned from the Treas. Dept., Washington, D. C., where she served eighteen years. Address, Pasadena, Calif.
v. Alice Arley, b. Oct. 4, 1884; m. Dec. 11, 1907, Carl Allan Moots, b. Dec. 17, 1883, and had one child, (a) Marvin Conner, b. Sept. 17, 1908. Address, Kirksville, Mo.
vi. Louis Milton, b. July 1, 1886, d. m. Address, Kirksville, Mo.
vii. Grace Bradley, b. Apr. 3, 1888; m. June 24, 1908, Earl Calvan Moots, b. July 2, 1885. Children: (a) Mildred Alice, b. Lockwood, Mo., May 8, 1911; m. Feb. 7, 1931, George Basil Bybee, b. July 16, 1904; (b) Owen Conner, b. Lockwood, Mo., Oct. 24, 1914; (c) James Cecil, b. Mar. 17, 1918, at Dodson, Mont.
viii. Paul Revere, b. Nov. 6, 1889, d. Sept. 28, 1918.
ix. Thomas Leonidas, b. Sept. 27, 1891; m. Aug. 4, 1912, Gertrude Lee Willis, b. Sept. 24, 1892. Children: (a) Glenn Willis, b. Feb. 28, 1913, at Hominford, Neb.; (b) Clarence Melvin, b. Oct. 31, 1914, at Kirksville, Mo.; (c) Frances Margaret, b. Oct. 9, 1919, at Kirksville, Mo.; (d) Robert Lloyd, b. Feb. 2, 1922, at Kirksville, Mo., where the family now resides.

FOURTH GENERATION

(20C) WILLIAM WESLEY ALDERMAN[4] (Icyphene,[3] Catherine,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Sept. 6, 1851; m. Nov. 28, 1872, Eliza Ann Holman, b. Jan. 30, 1849, d. Oct. 25, 1931. Mr. Alderman lives at [redacted], South Pasadena, Calif.

(*Children (Alderman)*:

i. Cora, b. Feb. 18, 1874; m. Dan R. Hughes, Oct. 18, 1889 and had child (a) Daniel.
ii. Mabel, b. Mar. 26, 1875; m. Dec. 25, 1900, Basil McDavitt, and had children: (a) Lucille, b. Mar. 14, 1906, m. June 7, 1930, Fred W. Nelson; (b) William Howard, b. Nov. 19, 1912. Address, South Pasadena, Calif.
iii. William R., b. Apr. 12, 1877; m. Mabel C. Ford.

iv. Bertha, b. Oct. 5, 1879; m. Peter J. Dubbell and had children: (a) Robert W., b. Feb. 27, 1912; (b) William J., b. June 16, 1915.
v. Wesley E., b. Jan. 6, 1885; m. July 1, 1908, Edith K. Senour, and had children: (a) Wesley E., Jr., b. June 5, 1909; (b) Donald S., b. June 14, 1915; (c) Jackson H., b. June 17, 1917.

(21C) JESSE ST. CLAIR JONES[4] (Winifred Margaret,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]) b. Apr. 28, 1855, d. July 1, 1917; m. in 1877, Elizabeth Latham, b. July 15, 1852, d. Aug. 6, 1929.

Children (Jones)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Charles E., b. about 1878; m. Emma ———. Address, Twin Falls, Idaho. Children: (a) Paul; (b) Winston.
ii. Jessie F., b. Aug. 5, 1887, d. May 8, 1923, n. m.
iii. Frankie, d. inf.

(22C) JOHN LEWIS JONES[4] (Winifred Margaret,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Sept. 17, 1858, went to Ky. and there on Feb. 24, 1881, m. Sophia C. Reib, b. Apr. 20, 1862. Address, Florence, Ky.

Children (Jones)—born in Ky.:

i. Harry F., b. Mar. 5, 1882; m. Maud M. Miller.
ii. Jesse C., b. June 26, 1884; m. Lucy Bariclow.
iii. Jane B., b. Aug. 15, 1887; m. C. L. Stephens.
iv. Winifred M., b. Dec. 1, 1892; m. John W. Aylor.
v. Sallie R., b. Sept. 4, 1895; m. L. Melvin Moore.
vi. John L., Jr., b. Dec. 6, 1897; m. Edith Kelley.

(23C) NANCY ANN JONES[4] (Winifred Margaret,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Dec. 7, 1861, d. Oct. 26, 1915; m. Mar. 21, 1883, Charles W. Jennings, b. in Lewis Co., Mo., Apr. 23, 1858, d. in Haley, Idaho, Mar. 13, 1914.

Children (Jennings)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Myrtle Eller, b. Feb. 21, 1884.
ii. Winifred Margaret, b. Aug. 31, 1886; m. in 1914, Edward M. Agard, of Hartford, Conn. Separated.

(24C) JAMES WILLIAM JONES[4] (Winifred Margaret,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Feb. 14, 1864; m. June 24, 1896, Mary Madden, b. Apr. 17, 1877.

Children (Jones)—born and reared on farm in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Eunice Pearl, b. May 10, 1898, attended Teachers College at Kirksville, Mo.; m. Jan. 1, 1921, Worth A. Lawson, and had child: (a) Virginia Lucille, b. Mar. 30, 1924. Ranchers at Harlem, Mont.
ii. Walter W., b. Aug. 22, 1900, received degrees, B. S. in Kirksville Teachers College and M. A., in Industrial Education at U. of Mo., in

1931. Taught in H. S., at Humeston, Iowa, two years, Crystal City, Mo., seven years, Instructor in Industrial Arts at University City, St. Louis. He m. May 12, 1928, Eva Oldham, of Crystal City, Mo., and had child: (a) James Richard, b. Oct. 26, 1930. Address, St. Louis, Mo.

(25C) CELIA MARTHA CONNER[4] (David Lewis,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Jan. 30, 1859, d. Nov. 18, 1922, attended State Normal School and taught in schools of Adair Co., Mo.; m. Jan. 7, 1880, Seth Thomas Kennedy, b. May 8, 1854, d. Sept. 13, 1921.

Children (Kennedy)—born on farm in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Winifred Marie, b. Mar. 8, 1899; m. Dec. 25, 1919, Marion Milton Myers, b. Feb. 7, 1898, and had child: (a) Louise Elaine, b. Mar. 7, 1925, d. Nov. 23, 1925.

(26C) LAURA MARGARET CONNER[4] (David Lewis,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Sept. 3, 1861; m. Feb. 21, 1883, Lewis Copeland Draper, b. Sept. 24, 1860, d. Jan. 14, 1914, son of Samuel Copeland Draper. Mr. and Mrs. Draper both attended Kirksville State Normal and after marriage farmed in Adair and Sullivan Counties, Mo.; then moved to near Follett, Lipscomb Co., Texas, and became wheat growers there.

Children (Draper)—born 1st and 2nd in Adair Co.; 3rd in Sullivan Co., Mo.:

i. Lewis Lawrence, b. Jan. 5, 1884; m. Mary Gibson, and had children: (a) Mary Louise, b. June 18, 1916, Los Angeles; (b) Lewis Lawrence, Jr., b. Aug., 1917, d. inf.; Mary G. Draper, died 1917.
ii. Clarence Samuel, b. Nov. 26, 1886; m. Irene Propst, b. Nov. 9, 1886, and had children: (a) Allen, b. Nov. 26, 1907; m. Clara Ostrander, live at Pasamonte, N. M.; (b) Lulu (twin), b. June 17, 1910; m. Herbert Londagin; (c) Bula (twin), b. June 17, 1910; m. Ellis Grim, live at Gentry, Ark.; (d) Frank, b. June 7, 1913, lives in Lipscomb Co.; (e) Lewis Clarence, b. Apr. 8, 1921, in Union Co., N. M.; (f) Mabel, b. Feb. 2, 1924, in Union Co., N. M.; (g) Mary Margaret, b. June, 1927, in Okla., near Gentry, Ark. Address, Gentry, Ark.
iii. David Glennon, b. Nov. 22, 1891; m. Apr. 5, 1915, Linnie Howlett, b. Mar. 1, 1898. They live near Follett, Texas. Children, born near Darrouzette, Texas: (a) Isla Marie, b. Jan. 30, 1917; (b) Lewis Copeland, b. Feb. 13, 1921; (c) Gladys Helen, b. Nov. 8, 1925.

(27C) SUSAN ELIZABETH CONNER[4] (David Lewis,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Feb. 19, 1864; m. 1st, Feb. 6, 1884, James Addison Fite (originally Fight), b. Sept. 19, 1864, d. Aug. 13, 1899, by whom she had three children; m. 2nd, Mar. 1910, John Kennedy, separated same year, no children; m. 3rd, Sept. 17, 1911, George W. Otey, who died Aug. 13, 1930, no children. Mrs. Otey resides at 336 S. Vanness St., Los Angeles, Calif.

Children (Fite)—1st and 2nd born in Adair Co., Mo.; 3rd in Paradise, Ore.:

i. Lola Ann, b. Jan. 20, 1886; m. (1) Oct. 25, 1905, Theron Otey, d. Mar. 28, 1920, and had children: (a) Leland Earl, b. Dec. 31, 1906, at Dorris, Calif; m. Dec. 25, 1927, Winifred Plumbe, b. Jan. 26, 1911, at Seattle; (b) Lola Maurine, b. May 13, 1910; m. Mar. 14, 1930, Robert H. Nix, b. Jan. 26, 1890, in Texas; (c) George W., Jr., b. at Klamath Falls, Ore., Aug. 17, 1920, adopted at age of four years by step-father and name changed to George W. Beck. Lola Ann Otey m. (2), July 2, 1923, Peter L. Beck, d. Mar. 4, 1932.

ii. Lewis Glenn, b. Feb. 18, 1889, was graduated from A. S. O., in 1915, located at Coffeyville, Kan., where he continued to practice till he went to Calif., in 1922, having served one year in the World War with the rank of sergeant on the Medical Staff, at Forts Riley and Snelling, and one year as Pres. of the Kan. State Osteopathic Association. On June 6, 1919, he married Mary Ellen Dienst, b. Apr. 23, 1889. In 1922 when roads and accommodations were not as good as now, when their first born child was four months old, they drove to Calif., camping out every night on the way. At Los Angeles, Dr. Fite took post graduate work in the College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, and then located at Pasadena, where he continues to practice at 329 First Trust Building. His 2nd, 3rd, and 4th children were born in Pasadena. Children: (a) Glenn Conner, b. May 9, 1922. in Coffeyville, Kan.; (b) Don Wellington, b. June 24, 1924; (c) Robert James, b. Jan. 28, 1927; (d) Harriett Elizabeth, b. June 19, 1928.

iii. Bula Violet, b. Sept. 20, 1895; m. (1) Mar. 16, 1911, Charles E. Otey, who d. July 28, 1928, one child: (a) Susan Ann, b. June 7, 1925. She m. (2), Nov. 19, 1929, Amos Neldon Kelsey. Address, Klamath Falls, Ore.

(28C) WASHINGTON JARVIS CONNER[4] (David Lewis,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Nov. 12, 1866, at "The Mill," northwest of Kirksville, Mo., attended Kirksville Normal School and was graduated from A. S. O. in 1896 where he taught the next three years. He then went to Kansas City, Mo., where he took up the practice of Osteopathy which he has continued to this time. In 1927-8 he was President of the State Board of Osteopathic Registration and Examination, of which he was a member for ten years. In 1903 he was President of the Missouri Osteopathic Association and was Trustee of the A. O. A. from 1913 to 1916. Dr. Conner is the author of a book on Osteopathy of recognized merit. He married Sept. 3, 1893, Ida May Kennedy of Kirksville, born June 5, 1874, daughter of John and Sarah (Hagans) Kennedy.

Children (Conner)—1st and 2nd born in Kirksville, 3rd in K. C.:

i. Elizabeth Marie, b. June 9, 1894; m. Jan. 8, 1918, Earl Nelson Boutell, and had ch. (a) Elizabeth, b. Nov. 15, 1920; (b) Earl Nelson, Jr., b. Feb. 17, 1925.

ii. Gladys Louise, b. Oct. 27, 1896; m. June 11, 1921, William Lawrence Smith.

iii. Washington Jarvis, Jr., b. Aug. 18, 1905.

Standing—Left to Right: Mrs. Laura M. Draper, Dr. D. L. Conner, Jr., Dr. C. H. Conner, Dr. W. J. Conner and Celia Martha Kennedy.
Seated—Middle Row: Dr. Sarah M. Conner, D. L. Conner, Sr., Mrs. Ann E. Conner and Dr. Mary Ann Conner.
Seated—Front Row: Mrs. Anna C. Lamb and Mrs. Susan Elizabeth Otey. (Photograph taken 1908)

(29C) MARY ANN CONNER[4] (David Lewis,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Apr. 29, 1869, three miles north of Kirksville, Mo., reared in Adair and Sullivan Counties, attended Kirksville State Normal and taught in the states of Washington, Oregon and Missouri. In 1898 she was graduated from the A. S. O., and practiced Osteopathy for thirty years in Cincinnati, Ohio, then located in Hollywood, Calif, where she continues the practice of her profession.

(30C) SARAH McLONIE (SALLIE M.) CONNER, (2nd)[4] (David Lewis,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. June 4, 1871, three miles north of Kirksville, Mo., reared in Adair and Sullivan Counties, was graduated from the Kirksville Normal in 1898 and the A. S O.. in 1900. She practiced Osteopathy sixteen years in Bellefontaine, Ohio, and seven years in Chicago. In 1923 she returned to Kirksville to care for her aged mother, which she did till her mother's death in 1928, during which time she took a post graduate course in the Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery. She then located in Pasadena, Calif., where she continues to practice Osteopathy at 329 First Trust Building.

EXPLANATORY:—

In 1930, the author who, for many years, had been compiling a history of the Cross family, in hunting up related families, got in touch with the Conners and Cains, none of whom he had ever met, although reared less than seventy-five miles apart. The Conners had saved up much material for a family genealogy and suggested that it be printed with the Cross history. So, Dr. Sarah McLonie Conner (30C) volunteered to collect the data, and she it is, who has made the Conner history possible. She is responsible for all the dates of births, marriages, deaths, and stories of events and incidents in the lives of the members of the Conner and related families, which she has patiently gathered, from what she deems reliable sources. In this contribution, she has made a noble gift in the interests of the younger generations of the Conner family. The author is responsible only, for the arrangement of the material, and for the comments.

(31C) DAVID LEWIS CONNER, JR.[4] (David Lewis,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Mar. 24, 1873, reared in Adair and Sullivan Counties, was graduated from A. S. O. in 1898, located at Phoenix, Ariz., where he continues to practice as an Osteopathic physician at 215 National Bank of Arizona Building. On June 7, 1900, he married Luella Conboy, born Aug. 13, 1874, at Pittsfield, Ill., daughter of James and Lucy (Bagby) Conboy.

Children (Conner)—b. at Phoenix, Ariz.:

i. Anna Louise, b. Jan. 1, 1904; m. Aug. 31, 1929, Verland M. Haldiman, b. Dec. 9, 1903.
ii. David Lewis, III, b. Oct. 11, 1905; m. Dec. 22, 1926, Josephine Franklin, separated. Children: (a) David Lewis, IV, b. Oct. 7 1927.

(32C) CHARLES HARDIN CONNER[4] (David Lewis,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Feb. 20, 1875, near Kirksville, Mo., reared in Adair and Sullivan Counties. In 1897, he received M. D. degree from Marion Simms College in St. Louis, and the degree of D. O. from A. S. O. in 1901. He located at Albuquerque, N. M., where he continues to practice. On May 2, 1897, at Kirksville, Mo., he m. Edna Myrtle Natalie Linder, daughter of James Robert Linder, b. June 1, 1855; m. Dec. 31, 1874, Binda Pinkerton, b. Sept. 21, 1857.

Children (Conner):

i. Edna Reba, b. Aug. 12, 1898, at Gibbs, Mo.; m. Sept. 15, 1920, Horace Wilson Keenan and had children, born in Albuquerque, (a) Karleen Conner, b. Jan. 18, 1922; (b) Reba Charlotte, b. Nov. 10, 1925.
ii. Hugh Hardin, b. June 30, 1901, in Kirksville, d. June 13, 1902, in Albuquerque.
iii. Elaine Havard (adopted daughter), b. Sept. 3, 1916, at Bluewater, N. M.

(33C) ANNA KIMBROUGH (ANNA C.) CONNER[4] (David Lewis,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. July 19, 1877, near Kirksville, Mo., reared in Adair and Sullivan Counties; attended the Kirksville State Normal. In 1896 m. Dr. Willard Linder, divorced in 1901. In 1903, she was graduated from A. S. O., and in the same year located at Ottawa, Kan., for the practice of Osteopathy. On Oct. 30, 1905, she m. Charles Franklin Lamb, b. Mar. 21, 1867. In 1921 the Lambs moved to Calif., where they now conduct the "C. F. Lamb Funeral Home," at 415 E. Orange Grove, Pasadena.

Children (Lamb)—all born at Ottawa, Kan.:

i. Lawrence Conner, b. Sept. 24, 1906; m. Dec. 31, 1926 (divorced, 1931), Enid Aumick, b. Apr. 27, 1907. Child: (a) David Nicholas, b. Nov. 9, 1928.
ii. John Freeman, b. Dec. 11, 1907; m. Jan. 25, 1929, Mabel Hart, b. Aug. 15, 1909. Children: (a) John Maurice, b. Jan. 21, 1930.
iii. Mary Elizabeth, b. Sept. 30, 1909; m. July 19, 1928, Don K. Rasmussen (changed to "Ross"), b. Feb. 3, 1908. Children: (a) Constance Kay Ross, b. Jan. 12, 1931.
iv. Margaret Ann, b. Aug. 22, 1912, d. Mar. 1920.
v. Rose Lorraine, b. June 23, 1917.

(34C) ALLEN CONNER[4] (James Frederick,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. June 2, 1867, d. Feb. 5, 1917; m. Lenora Wilkinson, b. Mar. 10, 1868.

Children (Conner)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. James Frederick, Jr., b. Dec. 4, 1895; m. Oct. 6, 1927; Luella Rice, b. Nov. 9, 1899.
ii. John Morris, b. Sept. 2, 1897; m. Oct. 21, 1924, Margaret Jacobs, b. Mar. 2, 1903. Children: (a) Barbara Ann, b. May 26, 1926.
iii. Charles Allen, b. Oct. 27, 1899, n. m.
iv. Edith Amazetta, b. Dec. 5, 1902; m. Apr. 8, 1930, Charles Mikel.

(35C) LEONIDAS J. CONNER[4] (James Frederick,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. June 17, 1869, received M. D. degree from Marion-Simms College, St. Louis, Mo., in 1895; settled in Adair County where he continues to practice. In 1922 he received D. O. degree from A. S. O. He m. Alice Musson, b. May 10, 1875, d. Mar. 24, 1930.

Children (Conner)—born in Adair Co.:

i. Marie, b. May 13, 1902, was graduated from Kirksville Teachers College; High School teacher in N. E. Mo.
ii. Eula Elizabeth, b. Apr. 15, 1904, was graduated from Kirksville Teachers College; m. Dr. A. W. Blakely, b. July 11, 1896.

(36C) FRANK CONNER[4] (James Frederick,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Jan. 13, 1871, d. Apr. 2, 1925; m. in 1901 Nellie Dolan, b. Sept. 26, 1874.

Children (Conner)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Mary Elizabeth, b. Dec. 22, 1902, d. Oct. 24, 1925, was graduated from Kirksville Teachers College, High School teacher.
ii. Hubert Andrew, b. Sept. 18, 1909, was graduated from Kirksville Teachers College in 1931, student at U. of Ill.
iii. George Randolph, b. Oct. 29, 1911, student in Kirksville Teachers College in 1931.

(37C) ETHEL CONNER[4] (James Frederick,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Mar. 13, 1875, was graduated from Kirksville Normal and taught in the public schools. For many years he has been cashier of "The Citizens' National Bank" of Kirksville. He m. Lulu Payne, b. Nov. 2, 1880.

Child (Conner)—born in Kirksville, Mo.:

i. Corinne Payne, b. Jan. 22, 1905, attended Kirksville Teachers College, was graduated from U. of Mo. with high honors; on Aug. 10, 1926 m. Vernon Martindale Fay, b. June 1, 1901. Children: (a) Conner Martindale, b. May 9, 1929. Address, Clinton, Iowa.

(38C) RUSSELL CONNER[4] (William Thompson,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Nov. 24, 1869; m. Jan. 2, 1907, Hattie Stites.

Children (Conner)—born near Greentop, Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Audrey, b. Oct. 6, 1907.
ii. Mary, b. Nov. 13, 1908.
iii. Cecil, b. Dec. 19, 1910.
iv. Zelma, b. Aug. 29, 1914.
v. Robert, b. May 8, 1917.

(39C) JESSE CONNER[4] (William Thompson,[3] Washington,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Apr., 1872, d. July 14, 1926; m. Millie Lewis.

Children (Conner):

i. Pearl, b. Nov. 24, 1895; m. Otho Jenkins. Address, Wilmathville, Mo.
ii. Gaile, b. Feb. 28, 1900; m. Jay Fletcher. Address, Bloomfield, Iowa.
iii. Marshall, b. Nov. 27, 1908; m. Crystal Speaks. Address, Kirksville, Mo.

(40C) CHARLES M. CONNER[4] (Stephen,[3] Lewis,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Apr. 14, 1868, d. Sept. 22, 1928, was a man of large and varied experience in the study and teaching of agriculture, and an authority in agricultural experimentation. He received a B. S. degree from U. of Mo. and M. S. degree from U. of Mich. Beginning in 1896, he taught six years in the Agricultural College of S. C. and four years in the University of Florida. Then he was sent to the Philippine Islands by the United States Department of Agriculture and served six years in that capacity. In 1915 he took up Farm Adviser work in the San Joaquin Valley, Calif., first in Stanislaus County, then in Tulare County, where he had been eleven years when stricken with a fatal illness from which he died in a San Francisco hospital.

On Dec. 29, 1897, he married Ella D. Long, his cousin, (16C). Mrs. Conner and her daughter live at Visalia, Calif.

Child (Conner)—born in Biltmore, N. C.:

i. Laura Louise, born Aug. 9, 1906, was graduated from Redlands, California University and took post graduate work at U. of So. Calif., 1930-1.

(41C) MARTHA ALICE CROW[4] (Mary Eller,[3] Lewis,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Feb. 26, 1869; m. Feb. 13, 1890, Ben Ely, b. Dec. 30, 1858, d. Aug. 27, 1926.

Children (Ely)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Roy Martin, born Apr. 12, 1891; m. Jan. 28, 1914 Nora Snyder. Children: (a) Glorinda Ann; (b) Enid Pauline.
ii. James, b. Feb. 14, 1893; m. Edith Barker. Child: (a) Maybelle.

iii. Ben J., b. July 17, 1898.
iv. Mary Ruth, b. Oct. 15, 1900.
v. Manning Crow, b. 1902, d. 1914.

(42C) ELIZA JANE CROW[4] (Mary Eller,[3] Lewis,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Dec. 24, 1871; m. May 14, 1896, J. H. Miley. Address, Kirksville, Mo.

Children (Miley)—b. in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Francie Rowena, born Mar. 24, 1897; m. June 26, 1918, James Noan Colter, b. July 29, 1897. Children: (a) Garland Bernice, b. May 11, 1919; (b) Raphael Noan, b. Dec. 21, 1921; (c) Betty Lee, b. Jan. 24, 1929.
ii. James Melvin, b. Oct. 28, 1899; m. June 11, 1923, Lucile Santen, b. Jan. 22, 1906. Children: (a) James Melvin, Jr., b. Mar. 31, 1927; (b) Robert Santen, b. Mar. 31, 1927.
iii. Herman Henry, b. Nov. 10, 1902; m. Sept. 2, 1923, Lena Ethel Evans, b. Apr. 5, 1902.
iv. John H., Jr., b. Oct. 9, 1905.
v. Mary Eller, b. Mar. 15, 1910; m. Aug. 22, 1928, William Audrey Young, b. Feb. 27, 1905, and had child: (a) June Carol, b. Dec. 8, 1929.

(43C) LEWIS RUSSELL CROW[4] (Mary Eller,[3] Lewis,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Nov. 28, 1875; m. Oct. 27, 1898, Alma Clifton, b. Sept. 30, 1875, d. Dec. 15, 1928.

Children (Crow)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Manning Clifton, b. July 21, 1900; m. Mar. 28, 1929, Helen Saunders Arndt, b. Feb. 23, 1900, in Schuyler Co., Mo.
ii. Alva Louis, b. Feb. 14, 1904; m. Aug. 5, 1930, Mary Betty Weatherby, b. Feb. 11, 1905.

(44C) CHARLES MANNING CROW[4] (Mary Eller,[3] Lewis,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Nov. 8, 1880; m. Oct. 22, 1903, Mabel Gay Griffith, b. March 3, 1880. Address, Kirksville, Mo., R. F. D.

Child (Crow):

i. Emory Manning, b. July 19, 1905; m. Feb. 5, 1924, Bonnie Beatrice Barclay, b. June 23, 1904. Child: (a) Gerald B., b. Dec. 5, 1927.

(45C) MARY CLEVELAND CROW[4] (Mary Eller[3] Lewis[2] Philemon[1]), b. Aug. 12, 1884; m. Oct. 30, 1902, M. D. Beltzer, b. Oct. 17, 1880, at Kirksville, Mo.

Children (Beltzer):

i. Glen Manning, b. Aug. 3, 1908; m. Apr. 8, 1928, Iva Merle Harris, b. Aug. 6, 1907, at Leedy, Okla.
ii. Beulah Pearl, b. Aug. 4, 1905; m. February 5, 1928; Chester Dale Furnish, b. Jan. 24, 1906, in Monroe Co., Mo.

(46C) PEARL ERMINE CROW[4] (Mary Eller,[3] Lewis,[2] Philemon[1]), b. Dec. 26, 1887, at Kirksville, Mo.; m. Apr. 9, 1905, at Kirksville, Walter B. Horton, b. Dec. 1, 1884, at Kirksville, Mo.

Children (Horton)—b. first six at Kirksville, Mo.; others at Walker, S. D.

i. Carmeleta Rowena, b. May 26, 1907.
ii. Lula Ann, b. Nov. 5, 1909.
iii. Kenneth Walter, b. Mar. 24, 1911.
iv. William Frederick, b. Jan. 26, 1913.
v. Jessie Manning, b. June 5, 1915.
vi. Leslie Roy, b. June 3, 1917.
vii. Mildred Pearl, b. Mar. 23, 1920.
viii. James Leland, b. Mar. 8, 1923.
ix. Maxine Alma, b. Apr. 8, 1925.
x. Marlin Duaine, b. July 6, 1928.

EXCURSUS (JONES-KIMBROUGH)

EXCURSUS-JONES:

COL. JESSE JONES was born near Harrodsburg, Ky., Nov. 15, 1795, and died in Adair Co., Mo., in 1847. He emigrated to Randolph Co., Mo., in 1829, moved to Adair Co. in 1837 and established the first trading post in that territory. On Sept. 6, 1816, he married first, Elizabeth Dean, born in S. C., June 21, 1798, and died in Randolph Co., Mo., Apr. 29, 1830; he married second, Sarah Christian, by whom he had no children.

Children (Jones)—born in Mercer Co., Ky.:

i. Margaret H., b. Dec. 22, 1817, d. 1852; m. in 1835 Colman Hardin.
ii. Leven D., b. Mar. 15, 1819, d. Sept. 20, 1846, as soldier on way to Mexican War, never m.
iii. Martha Wells, b. Dec. 9, 1820; m. 1st, Jarvis J. Kimbrough (2K). 2nd, Washington Conner (3C).
iv. Mary Ann, b. Aug. 26, 1822, d. Nov. 10, 1910; m. David A. Ely and had children: (a) Benjamin; (b) Jude; (c) Dit; (d) Nora; (e) William; (f) David.
v. Jesse S., b. Feb. 10, 1824; m. Martha Gould in 1841.
vi. Elizabeth, b. Sept. 28, 1825, d. May 28, 1891; m. in 1843, Thomas C. Christian.
vii. Nancy, b. Aug. 25, 1827, d. in 1830.
viii. John T., b. May 19, 1829; d. 1882; m. Winifred Conner (8C).
ix. Elizabeth Jane, d. infancy.

EXCURSUS-KIMBROUGH:

FIRST GENERATION

(1K) MOSES KIMBROUGH emigrated with his brothers, Aaron and Thomas, from North Carolina about 1822, and settled near Huntsville, Randolph Co., Mo. A cousin, Ira Kimbrough, who started with him, stopped in Ohio.

Children (Kimbrough)—born probably in N. C.:

2K i. Jarvis Jones (twin), b. Oct. 7, 1807; m. 1st, Rhoda Hannah; 2nd, Martha Wells Jones.
ii. Susan Nancy (twin), b. Oct. 7, 1807; m. John Rone.
iii. Patsy, m. William Maggard and had children: (a) Armilda; (b) Jarvis; (c) Feland.
iv. Rhoda, m. Bidley Hilton.
v. Sina, m. Fleming Donaldson.

SECOND GENERATION

(2K) JARVIS JONES KIMBROUGH[2] (Moses[1]), b. Oct. 7, 1807 d. Oct. 1844; m. 1st, Aug. 1836, Rhoda Hannah and had one child; m. 2nd, Mar. 2, 1839, Martha Wells Jones, b. Dec. 9, 1820, daughter of Jesse Eleven Jones and Elizabeth Dean, by whom he had four children.

Children (Kimbrough)—born near Huntsville, Mo.:

i. Rhoda Jane, b. Aug. 7, 1837, d. 1856; m. George S. Boatman, who d. in 1857, and had one child, d. in infancy.
ii. Ann Elizabeth, b. June 8, 1840; m. David L. Conner (9C).
3K iii. Susan Nancy (2nd), b. Nov. 27, 1841; m. William H. Parcels.
iv. Martha Zerelda, b. Mar. 28, 1843, d. about 1887 in Coffeyville, Kan.; m. 1st, Hiram Snyder and had one child: (a) Andrew; m. 2nd, Robert H. Perry and had several children.
v. Jarvis Sinclair, b. Apr. 2, 1845, d. in 1846.

The above dates of the births of Jarvis Jones Kimbrough and family were copied by the author from an old paper, labeled on the back, "Family Record—J. J. Kimbrough." This paper, badly worn and faded, was given to Dr. Sarah M. Conner in 1928, by her mother, Ann Elizabeth (Kimbrough) Conner, and was probably written about eighty-six years ago, by Mrs. Martha Wells (Jones) (Kimbrough) Conner.

THIRD GENERATION

(3K) SUSAN NANCY KIMBROUGH[3] (Jarvis Jones,[2] Moses[1]), b. Nov. 27, 1841; m. Dec. 14, 1864, William H. Parcels, b. in Hardin Co., Ky., July 22, 1815; came horseback to Adair Co., Mo., in 1838; engaged in business at Kirksville; went to Calif. in 1849; returned two years later to Kirksville and entered business again; was elected three times to State Legislature; did more than any other man in locating the First District State Normal at Kirksville. (See Violette's History of Adair Counay.)

He retired to his farm in 1872 where he died Jan. 19, 1898. His widow, now ninety years old, lives in Glendale, Calif., with a grandson, William H. Parcels, Jr.

Children (Parcels)—born at Kirksville, Mo.:

4K i. Robert Jones, b. Sept. 10, 1865; m. Carrie Wood.
ii. Mary Olivia, b. May 20, 1867, d. May 11, 1870.
5K iii. Hattie Lee, b. Feb. 26, 1871; m. Lough Parcels.

FOURTH GENERATION

(4K) ROBERT JONES PARCELS[4] (Susan Nancy,[3] Jarvis Jones,[2] Moses[1]), b. Sept. 10, 1865; m. Dec. 25, 1887, Carrie Wood, b. Nov. 21, 1865. Address, Greencastle, Mo., R. F. D.

Children (Parcels)—born in Adair Co., Mo.:

i. Lee W., b. in 1889.
ii. June O., b. 1890; m. 1909, Jonathan O. Daniels, now deceased, and had child: (a) Robert C., b. July 20, 1910. Address, Greencastle, Mo.
iii. Everett H., b. 1891; m. July 27, 1926, Hattie Sutton and had child: (a) Carrie Lee, b. Oct. 18, 1929. Address, Kirksville, Mo.
iv. Winifred R., b. in 1899.

(5K) HATTIE LEE PARCELS[4] (Susan Nancy,[3] Jarvis Jones,[2] Moses[1]), b. Feb. 26, 1871, d. in Los Angeles, Calif., May 5, 1901; m. Oct. 28, 1888, Lough Parcels, her cousin, b. at Charleston, Ill., May 13, 1866, received D. O. degree from A. S. O.; located for practice first at San Bernardino, then at Calexico, Calif., where he died Oct. 17, 1924.

Children (Parcels)—born at Kirksville, Mo.:

i. Milton, b. Dec. 8, 1895, d. Feb. 16, 1907, at San Bernardino, Calif.
ii. William H., Jr., b. July 12, 1897; m. Jessie Childers, b. Oct. 9, 1897, at Wandel, Okla., and had children: (a) Hattie Lee, b. Jan. 19, 1920, at Calexico; (b) William H., b. Feb. 17, 1924, d. 1926, at Los Angeles. Address, Glendale, Calif.

ADDENDA

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PATSY CROSS,[4] (William,[3] William,[2] William[1]) married in Macon County, Missouri, July 15, 1846, John Dunivant, brother of William F.

Children (Dunivant)—born in Macon Co., Mo.

i. John, married Elizabeth Johnson and had three children:
   a. Delia, b. Jan. 16, 1866; m. Rolie Johnson.
   b. Martha, b. Feb. 24, 1873; m. Dec. 23, 1889, Richard R. Jones and lives at Bevier, Mo.
   c. Goldie, b. Mar. 27, 1886; was twice married. By her first husband, Joe Fathergill, she had two children:
      (1) George William, b. Jan. 25, 1906; m. Pearl Vestal and had two daughters: Betty Jean, b. Sept. 18, 1924 and Calantha D., b. Oct. 2, 1926.
      (2) Calantha, b. Aug. 3, 1912; m. July 26, 1929, Ordell Terry and resides in Kansas City, Mo.

ii. James.

iii. Lewis, b. Nov. 24, 1850, d. July 13, 1888, buried at Bevier, Mo.; m. Aug. 3, 1871, Nancy J. Miles and had five children:
   a. Johnnie, b. 1873.
   b. Ocie, b. Jan. 13, 1877, m. Feb. 27, 1895, W. H. Shoemaker and has children:
      (1) Emmett, b. Jan. 13, 1896.
      (2) Marie, b. May 19, 1901.
      (3) George W., b. Feb. 22, 1906; m. Oct. 1, 1927, Lillian Tartar, b. Sept. 9, 1909. He is employed by a power company at Bevier, Mo.
      (4) Harland, b. Dec. 16, 1908.
      (5) Leo, b. May 4, 1911.
      (6) William Gordon, b. Mar. 10, 1915.
   c. Luther, b. Mar. 12, 1878; d. Mar. 12, 1930.
   d. Mary, b. May 28, 1883; m. Mar. 17, 1900, John Williams. He works for the Burlington R. R. at Callao, Mo.
   e. Lulu, b. Nov. 12, 1888.

iv. Susan.

v. Fannie.

vi. Willie, m. William Decker and lives in Macon Co., Mo.

vii. Robert, b. 1866, died about 1910.

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